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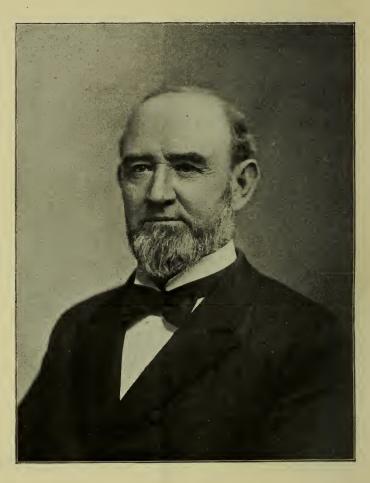
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P.). The General Conference and Episcopacy (Syl.). The Historic Episcopate (Syl.).

10. NEW TESTAMENT INTRODUCTION AND LITERATURE.—Roscoe Sanderson, Examiner, Suncook, N. H.

Harman's N. T. Introduction (Ex.). The Land of Israel (Ex.). Nast's Introduction to the Gospel Records (Ex. in L. P.). Dod's Introduction to the N. T. (Syl.). The Son of Man (Syl.). Life of St. Paul—Conybeare and Howson (Syl.). Life of St. Paul—Stalker (Syl. L. P.). How to Study the Bible (Syl. in L. P.).

11. OLD TESTAMENT INTRODUCTION AND EXEGESIS.—Thomas Whiteside, Examiner, Portsmouth, N. H.

Harmon's O. T. Introduction (Ex.). Exegesis—Pentateuch (Ex.). Exegesis—Isaiah (Ex.). Biblical Hermeneutics (Ex.). Christian Archæology (Syl.). Ecclesiastical Architecture (Syl.).

12. Systematic Theology.—D. C. Knowles, Examiner, Tilton, N. H.

Systematic Theology, Miley, Vol. I (Ex.). Vol. II. (Ex.). Systematic Theology, Raymond, Vols. I, II, III (Ex. in L. P.).

13. RHETORIC AND LITERATURE.—G. N. Dorr, Examiner, Sunapee, N. H.

All Essays. English Branches (Ex.). English and American Literature (Ex. also Syl. in L. P.). Principles of Rhetoric (Ex.). Hints to Self-Educated Ministers (Syl. L. P.).

14. SECULAR HISTORY.—William Ramsden, Examiner, Bethlehem, N. H.

Student's American History (Ex.). Outlines of Universal History, Vol. I (Ex.). Vol. II (Ex.). Short History of the English People (Syl.).

15. CURRENT TOPICS AND REGISTRATION —L. D. Bragg, Examiner, Bristol, N. H.

Methodist Review (6 Syl.), by students in four classes. Records of all grades and scrutiny of all certificates.

LOCAL PREACHERS

The Discipline refers to the Board of Conference Examiners "all preachers, both traveling and local, pursuing the course of study with a view to ordination or conference membership." (Ap. ¶58, §1.) So far as studies are concerned, two classes of Local Preachers are under the Board's supervision. First, those who are candidates for the traveling connection. Second, those who are not candidates for the traveling connection, but who have ordination in view.

The second class, as well as the first, must complete, "satisfactorily to the Annual Conference, the studies prescribed for Local Preachers." (Dis. ¶165, §1. ¶168, §1.)

There is another class of Local Preachers over whom the Board

of Examiners has no supervision; viz., those who have no purpose to ever enter the traveling connection, or to take orders. The studies of these Local Preachers are under the eye of the quarterly conference only (Dis. ¶197, §2.). In case, however, a Local Preacher of this class, changes his mind and takes steps to obtain orders, he comes under the eye of the Board of Examiners, and must satisfy the Board of his proficiency (Ap. ¶61, §1 and §2.).

For the unifying of our course of studies for all classes of Local Preachers, it is recommended that arrangements for those examinations that the Discipline puts in the hands of the quarterly conference be made with the Board. If the several quarterly conferences will vote to use the examination papers of the Board, the different examiners can send their sealed questions on the different topics, at the proper times, to the places where the quarterly conferences are held, in envelopes directed to the several Presiding Elders. In the presence of the Elders, or of the preachers-in-charge, the examinations can be conducted and the facts can be reported later to the quarterly conference. The examination papers of the students can be sent back, with the questions, to the examiners, and at the next quarterly conference a full report can be made of the examinations when satisfactory.

This plan will be a gain all round. It will relieve the quarterly conference of the strain incident to preparing suitable examination questions for its Local Preachers. It will relieve the preacher-incharge and the Presiding Elder, men who have their hands full of work, from the necessity of spending a large amount of time in formulating questions that cover a number of different topics. To the student himself, the measure will be a blessing. It will help him to acquire habits of accurate thinking and systematic study. It will enable the Board to become a chool of correspondence to the student. He will obtain on the books of the Registrar credit for all he does and should the Local Preacher change his mind and conclude to take orders, or enter the traveling connection, his work will be well in hand, and if he have finished under the Board's supervision, the four-years' course laid down in the Discipline, he will need only an oral examination at the annual Conference to cover the requirements of Ap. ¶61, §1 and §2. Otherwise, two or three days of written examinations are necessary "to pass a satisfactory examination at the annual Conference, in review of the entire four years' course prescribed for Local Preachers." Experience has shown that the noise and bustle of an annual Conference are not favorable for conducting protracted examinations.

If these suggestions appeal to the quarterly conferences, and to the Local Preachers connected with them, address the Chairman of the Board.

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Preliminaries.—The usual examinations of candidates and classes were held on Wednesday, April 16.

THURSDAY, APRIL 17

Opening Exercises.—The New Hampshire Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its seventy-third session in Grace M. E. church, Haverhill, Mass., Thursday, April 17, 1902, Bishop Earl Cranston presiding.

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Bishop and prayer was offered by C. U. Dunning. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered, the Presiding Elders and others assisting.

Roll-Call.—At ten o'clock the Bishop took the chair, S. E. Quimby, the Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll. Eighty-six responded to their names. G. N. Bryant was reported deceased.

Organization.—S. E. Quimby was re-elected Secretary. He nominated as his assistants A. L. Smith, E. S. Tasker, T. E. Cramer, E. C. E. Dorion. They were elected.

W. B. Locke was elected Treasurer. He named as his assistants R. E. Thompson, W. F. Ineson, A. W. Frye. They were elected.

I. C. Brown was elected Statistical Secretary. He named as his assistants, W. T. Boultenhouse, G. W. Jones, A. M. Markey, J. E. Sweet, J. E. Montgomery. They were elected.

Hours of Opening and Closing.—The hour of opening was fixed at 8:30 a.m., the first half hour to be spent in devotional exercises. The hour of closing was fixed at 12 m.

Transfer.—C. H. Walters was announced as transferred from the New England Southern Conference, and was introduced to the Conference.

Conference Bar.—The bar of the Conference was fixed at the rear of the eighth row of seats.

Standing Committees.—O. S. Baketel, for the Presiding Elders, nominated the standing committees. The nominations were confirmed. (See Standing Committees.)

Twentieth Century Thank Offering.—The Statistical Secretary asked instruction as to reporting contributions to the Twentieth

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Century Thank Offering Fund. The Bishop stated that the only provision in the Official Minutes was under the heading, "Other Benevolent Collections," but that each Conference should provide for special detailed report in its own Year Book.

Introductions.—The Bishop spoke in complimentary terms of Zion's Herald, and introduced Rev. Charles Parkhurst, D.D., the editor, who addressed the Conference and presented a dividend of \$208 from the Wesleyan Association for the benefit of the Conference Claimants. He also presented in behalf of Bishop Mallalieu a gift of \$20 from the royalty upon the Bishop's book—"The How and Why of Revivals."

Rev T. C. Watkins, D.D., Corresponding Secretary of the New England Deaconess' Association, was introduced, and addressed the Conference. Miss Chisholm, a deaconess, sang by request, "The Poor Little Brack Sheep"

Drafts.—The Bishop presented a draft from the Book Concern for \$365, and one from the Chartered Fund for \$22. The Conference ordered the drafts.

J. W. Gowdy was introduced, and addressed the Conference in the interest of the Missionary Forward Movement.

On motion of Edgar Blake, it was voted to limit the addresses of visitors to the Conference to seven minutes each, unless on vote of the Conference their time be extended.

Documents were presented by the Bishop and were referred to the various committees.

The reports of the Book Committee concerning the Episcopal Fund, and the expenses of the next General Conference, were referred to the Presiding Elders for apportionment of the amounts asked for.

On motion of S. E. Quimby, voted to add to the list of standing committees a Committee on Book Concern and Publishing Interests. The Presiding Elders, through O. S. Baketel, named C. W. Dockrill, W. C. Bartlett, S. M. McLaughlin. They were elected.

The Bishop announced that W. R. Webster had been transferred to the New York East Conference by Bishop Fitzgerald.

Thirteenth Question.—The thirteenth question of the Minutes was taken up: "Was the character of each preacher examined?"

O. S. Baketel, Presiding Elder of Concord District, was called, his character passed, and he read his report.

The names of the effective elders of the district were called, and their characters passed.

The Secretary was granted a leave of absence for the remainder of the morning to attend a funeral.

On motion of D. W. Downs, voted that the Presiding Elders be instructed to prepare statements of the Thank-Offering receipts for publication in the Minutes.

On motion of J. E. Robins it was voted that a table be prepared and printed in the journal, showing the names and residences of the widows of deceased members of the Conference.

Introduction.—E. C. Bridgham of the New England Conference was introduced.

Notices were given, and the Conference adjourned by expiration of time, the Bishop pronouncing the benediction.

FRIDAY, APRIL 18

Devotions.—The devotional service at 8:30 was led by the Bishop, who read the fourth chapter of Hebrews and made very inspiring and profitable remarks.

Business.—At 9 the business session began, the Bishop in the chair. The minutes of Thursday were read and approved.

The roll of the absentees of Thursday was called and nine responded.

O. S. Baketel presented a paper in favor of better treatment of chaplains of the U. S. Navy and moved that it be referred to a committee. He nominated D. J. Smith, James Cairns and C. E. Eaton. They were appointed and the paper was referred.

The Statistical Secretary read a list of charges which had not sent in their reports.

Thirteenth Question.—The thirteenth question was resumed.

J. E. Robins, Presiding Elder of Dover District, was called, his character passed, and he read his report.

The effective elders were called, and their characters passed.

G. M. Curl, Presiding Elder of Manchester District, was called, his character passed, and he read his report.

The effective elders of the district were called, and their characters passed.

W. T. Carter was reported transferred to the New England Southern Conference.

On motion of G. M. Curl, the Conference requested the Bishop to continue the appointment of G. H. Hardy as Conference historian.

N. D. Bigelow was reported transferred to the Central Ohio Conference.

C. J. Brown was reported transferred to the Vermont Conference.

The Bishop addressed the Conference briefly concerning the value and dignity of membership in an Annual Conference

On motion of O. S. Baketel, James Noyes was given a superannuated relation.

Introductions.—Rev. John Krantz, of the Newark Conference, representing the Methodist Book Concern, was introduced, and addressed the Conference, his time being extended to ten minutes.

Mr. H. P. Magill, secretary of the Board of Church Insurance, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

On motion of O. S. Baketel, it was voted to appoint a committee of three to confer with Mr. Magill with reference to church insurance. G. J. Judkins, W. H. Hutchin and H. D. Deetz were appointed.

Rev. M. C. B. Mason, D.D., corresponding secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, was introduced.

Rev. Chas. Roads, D.D., General Field Worker of the Sunday School Union, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

W. W. Ozier, a member of the General Committee of the Church Extension Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Revs. C. W. Bradlee and Elbridge Gerry, of the Maine Conference, and Rev. G. I. Lowe, pastor of the Free Baptist church of Lisbon, Me., were introduced.

On motion of M. C. Pendexter, it was voted that Rev. C. W. Bradlee be requested to convey the greetings of the Conference to the Maine Conference now in session.

Revs. A. W. L. Nelson and Charles Tilton of the New England, and F. K. Gamble of the Central Ohio Conference, were introduced.

On motion of W. Ramsden, a resolution presented by C. N. Tilton, on arrangements for memorial services, was referred to the Committee on Public Worship.

Twenty=Second Question.—The twenty-second question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who are the supernumerary preachers?"

Their names were called and their characters fixed as follows:

- G. W. Buzzell, relation not fixed.
- J. W. Adams was made effective.
- J. H. Emerson was placed on the superannuated list.
- J. W. Bean, G. W. Norris, and J. H. Knott were continued.

At suggestion of G. W. Norris, and on motion of O. S. Baketel, the Secretary was instructed to write C. E. Hall requesting him to ask a location. C. M. Howard was continued. A letter from Brother Howard was read, and, on motion of D. C. Babcock, J. W. Adams was instructed to send him the greetings of the Conference.

J. D. Folsom was continued.

W. H. Hutchin was made effective.

Twenty-third Question.—The twenty-third question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who are the superannuated preachers?"

C. H. Chase, Joseph Hayes, Josiah Hooper, S. P. Heath, C. H. Smith, Henry Chandler, W. H. Jones, Irad Taggart, J. A. Steele, L. W. Prescott, J. H. Hillman and Otis Cole were called, their characters passed, and their relation continued.

J. Hooper, C. H. Smith, I. Taggart and O. Cole addressed the Conference.

Letters were read from C. H. Chase, S. P. Heath, H. Chaudler, and J. A. Steele.

Time Extended.—On motion of S. E. Quimby, the time of the session was extended.

Introduction.—Rev. O. C. Sargent, General Secretary of the New Hampshire Convention of Baptist churches, was introduced, and presented the fraternal greetings of that body.

Notices were given.

On motion of O. S. Baketel, it was voted that when we adjourn, it be to meet in Conference session with the Preachers' Aid Society at 7:45 p. m.

The doxology was sung; the benediction was pronounced by D. J. Smith, and the Conference adjourned.

FRIDAY EVENING

Conference met with the Preachers' Aid Society at 7:45, Roscoe Sanderson presiding by appointment of the Bishop. D. C. Babcock led the congregation in repeating the twenty-third Psalm, and offered prayer. A collection was taken.

Rev. L. B. Bates, D.D., of Boston, was introduced, and addressed the Conference in the interests of the aged preachers.

Voted, that after the singing of a hymn, and pronouncing the benediction, the Conference adjourn.

The 679th hymn was sung, and Josiah Hooper pronounced the benediction.

SATURDAY, APRIL 19

Devotions.—At 8:30 the devotional service was conducted by the Bishop. Following a season of prayer, he spoke on Moses as a spiritual leader and his vision of Christ.

Business.—At 9:15 the business session commenced, the Bishop in the chair.

The minutes of Friday's session were read and approved.

The minutes of Friday evening's session were read and approved.

Fifth Question.—The fifth question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who have been continued on trial?"

E. J. Palisoul was called, and his character passed.

J. E. Montgomery was called, and his character passed.

By his own request, and on motion of J. E. Robins, the relation of G. R. Locke was changed from effective to supernumerary.

On motion of D. C. Knowles, Lewis H. Taylor, James O. Lyford, Arthur T. Cass, George H. Bartlett, Dean K. Webster, Wm. Warren and Wm. Ramsden were nominated as trustees of the Conference Seminary.

Introduction.—Mrs. May Leonard Woodruff, Field Secretary and Organizer of the Home Missionary Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Thirtieth Question.—The thirtieth question of the Minutes was taken up: "Where shall the next Conference be held?"

On motion of O. S. Baketel, the question of the seat of the next Conference was referred to the Presiding Elders.

Day of Opening.—On motion of D. C. Babcock, the Conference expressed by vote a preference for Wednesday as opening day of the Conference session.

Stewards.—W. J. Wilkins, chairman of the Board of Stewards, reported the basis of distribution of the Conference funds. The basis was adopted.

On motion of W. J. Wilkins, the Conference tendered a vote of thanks to Bishop Mallalieu for his gift of \$20 to the Conference claimants.

Introductions.—Rev. A. P. Bourne, fraternal delegate of the General Association of Congregational and Presbyterian Churches, was introduced, and addressed the Conference, presenting the fraternal greetings of that body.

Rev. M. D. Kneeland, D.D., Secretary of the New England Sabbath Protective League, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Rev. W. P. Thirkield, D.D., corresponding secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Board of Trustees.—J. W. Adams, for the Board of Trustees, requested that the Conference nominate two, of whom one should be elected as a trustee by the board.

The Conference nominated R. T. Wolcott and T. E. Cramer.

Tenth Question.—The tenth question of the Minutes was taken up: "What members have completed the Conference course of study?"

J. R. Dinsmore was reported as having been prevented from completing his studies on account of the condition of his eyes.

His character passed, and he was continued in the studies of the fourth year.

Guy Roberts, R. E. Thompson, I. B. Miller, W. F Ineson and Arthur Wadsworth were called, their characters passed, the Registrar of the Examining Board reported them as passed in their studies, and they were elected to elder's orders.

The character of E. C. Clough was passed. The Registrar of the Examining Board reported him as having made up conditions of the previous year, and having passed in only a part of his studies, and he was continued in the studies of the fourth year.

Fifth Question.—The fifth question of the Minutes was resumed: "Who are continued on trial?"

- "(b) In the studies of the second year?"
- E. J. Palisoul was called and reported his collections. The Registrar of the Examining Board reported him as having presented certificates of graduation from college and theological school, and on motion of G. M. Curl, it was voted that he be excused from all studies except those pertaining to Methodist doctrine, polity and history.

His character was passed, and he was advanced to the studies of the second year.

J. E. Montgomery, B. P. Wilkins and H. J. Foote were called, their characters passed, the Registrar of the Examining Board reported them as passed in their studies, and they were advanced to the studies of the second year.

Ninth Question.—The ninth question of the Minutes was taken up: "What members are in the studies of the fourth year?"

- G. W. Jones, J. E. Sweet and A. M. Markey were called, their characters were passed, the Registrar of the Examining Board reported them as passed in their studies, and they were advanced to the studies of the fourth year.
- E. C. E. Dorion was called, his character passed, the Registrar of the Examining Board reported that he had passed in the studies of the third and fourth years, and he was continued in the studies of the fourth year (having been a deacon only one year).
- C. A. Reed was called, his character passed, the Registrar of the Examining Board reported him as passed in his studies, and he was advanced to the studies of the fourth year.
- A. W. Frye was called, his character passed, the Registrar of the Examining Board reported him passed in all studies except psychology, and he was advanced to the studies of the fourth year, being conditioned in psychology.

Seventh Question.—The seventh question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who have been admitted into full membership?"

J. G. Cairns was called forward. The Bishop addressed him and the Conference, and asked the Disciplinary questions.

The Registrar of the Examining Board reported him passed in his studies; his character was passed; he was admitted to full membership and elected to deacon's orders.

Fifth Question.—The fifth question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who have been continued on trial?"

A. M. Shattuck, W. A. Hudson and D. E. Burns were called and their characters passed; the President of the Examining Board recommended that they be continued on trial in the studies of the second year, and they were so continued.

Time Extended.—On motion of S. E. Quimby, the time was extended.

Introductions.—Hon. D. H. Goodell, ex-Governor of New Hampshire, and Rev. C. S. Nutter of the Vermont Conference were introduced.

Conference Seminary.—On motion of Edgar Blake, it was voted to fix 10 a. m. Monday as the time to consider the interests of the Conference Seminary.

Fourth Question,—The fourth question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who have been received on trial?"

John Goudy was recommended by the Tilton Quarterly Conference. He was admitted on trial and elected to deacon's and elder's orders under the missionary rule.

Notices were given; the Bishop pronounced the benediction, and the Conference adjourned.

MONDAY, APRIL 21

Devotions.—At 8:30 the Bishop conducted the devotions.

Business.—At 9 o'clock the business session began, the Bishop in the chair. The minutes of Saturday's session were read and approved.

Fifth Question.—The fifth question of the Minutes was resumed.

C. W. Martin was called, and his character passed. On motion of G. M. Curl he was left without appointment to attend school, and continued on trial in the studies of the first year.

Credentials Returned.—S. E. Quimby announced that G. H. Clark, a local elder, had returned his credentials and withdrawn from the ministry and the church.

Ordinations.—The Bishop presented the following certificate:

"This certifies that on the 20th day of April, 1902, at Haverhill, Mass., I ordained as deacons in the Methodist Episcopal church, James G. Cairns, and John Gowdy; also on the same day and in the same place, assisted by other elders, I ordained as elders, Guy Roberts, Idelbert B. Miller, Roger E. Thompson, Wm. F. Ineson, Arthur Wadsworth and John Gowdy.

"EARL CRANSTON.

"Done at Haverhill, Mass., April 20, 1902."

On motion G. M. Curl, G. W. Buzzell was given an effective relation, and the Conference requested that he be appointed as Superintendent of the Industrial and Evangelistic Institute of Nashua.

The Bishop announced that John Gowdy was transferred to the Foochow Conference.

J. E. Robins, for the Presiding Elders, presented nominations for the Conference Deaconess Board. The nominations were confirmed. (See Officers of Conference.)

On motion of D. C. Babcock, voted that the Conference hold an executive session at II o'clock.

Memoirs.—On motion of S. E. Quimby, voted that the memoirs read on Sunday be adopted as the report of the Committee on Memoirs.

Fraternal Delegates.—On motion of S. E. Quimby, voted that the Presiding Elders within whose districts the fraternizing bodies meet, be the fraternal delegates from this Conference to such bodies, with power to appoint substitutes.

Supernumerary.—On motion of O. S. Baketel, C. U. Dunning was granted a change of relation from effective to supernumerary. He addressed the Conference.

On motion of G. M. Curl, the relation of E. Snow was changed from effective to supernumerary.

Triers for Appeals.—O. S. Baketel, for the Presiding Elders, presented nominations for Triers of Appeals. They were appointed. (See Disciplinary Questions.) He also presented nominations for District Missionary Secretaries, and District Boards of Church Location. The nominations were confirmed. (See Officers of the Conference.)

The Bishop nominated the Board of Church Extension. The nominations were confirmed. (See officers of Conference.)

Missionary Sermon.—The Bishop appointed H. D. Deetz to preach the missionary sermon, and G. B. Goodrich alternate.

Twenty-fifth Question.-The twenty-fifth question of the

Minutes was taken up: "What is the statistical report for this year?"

The Statistical Secretary read his report. It was accepted and ordered to be printed in the Minutes.

The Committee on Missions reported through O. S. Baketel. The report was adopted and was ordered to be printed in the journal.

Introductions.—Rev. W. D. Parr, Assistant Secretary of the Church Extension Society, and Rev. E. M. Taylor, Missionary Field Secretary for the First General Conference District, were introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Rev. S. L. Baldwin, Recording Secretary of the Missionary Society; Rev. W. T. Perrin, of the New England Conference, and Rev. I. F. Rowe, a missionary from India, were introduced.

The Bishop called J. M. Durrell to the chair and retired with the Presiding Elders.

Reports.—R. E. Thompson read the report of the Committee on the Conference Seminary. It was favorably discussed and adopted. (See Reports.)

The report of the Committee on Education was read by Elwin Hitchcock. Adopted. (See Reports.)

- R. T. Wolcott read the report of the Committee on Parsonages. Adopted. (See Reports.)
- G. W. Farmer read the report of the Committee on Church Extension. Adopted. (See Reports.)
- H. F. Quimby read the report of the Committee on Ministerial Support. Adopted. (See Reports.)
- C. E. Eaton read the report of the Committee on Tracts and Sunday-schools. Adopted. (See Reports.)
- A. E. Draper read the report of the Committee on Bible Cause. Adopted. (See Reports.)

Executive Session.—At II o'clock the Conference went into executive session, the Bishop in the chair.

Fourth Question.—The fourth question of the Minutes was taken up: "Who have been received on trial?"

Recommendations were read as follows: From the Merrimacport quarterly conference, recommending Charles M. Tibbetts; from the Pittsburg quarterly conference, recommending William Magwood; from the Lakeport quarterly conference, recommending Cyrus L. Corliss.

They were introduced to the Conference; the Registrar of the Examining Board reported them as passed in their studies, the Committee on Conference Relations recommended them, and they were admitted on trial.

Twenty-third Question.—The twenty-third question was resumed.

- G. J. Judkins, E. C. Langford and Mellen Howard were called, their characters passed, and their relations continued.
- C. J. Fowler was called. The Bishop spoke briefly on his case. At the request of the Bishop he addressed the Conference, and afterwards responded to questions.

The time was extended.

On motion of Elwin Hitchcock, C. J. Fowler was made effective, his character having passed.

On motion of Edgar Blake, G. A. McLaughlin was made effective, his character having passed.

C. J. Fowler asked a location.

Pending this matter it was voted to adjourn to meet in executive session at 2 o'clock.

MONDAY AFTERNOON

Executive Session.—At 2:10 Conference met, according to adjournment, in executive session, the Bishop in the chair.

Devotions.—Two stanzas of "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing" were sung. Prayer was offered by W. J. Wilkins.

Business.—The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The request of C. J. Fowler for a location was discussed. The request was denied by vote of the Conference.

On motion of G. M. Curl, Arthur Wadsworth was, at his own request, granted a supernumerary relation.

Open Session.—D. C. Knowles was called to the chair by the Bishop, and the Conference resumed open session.

Reports.—The report of the Committee on Benevolences was read by C. Byrne. Adopted. (See Reports.)

D. C. Babcock read the report of the Committee on Temperance. J. M. Durrell moved that the report be accepted and adopted, and that an abridged form be published in the Minutes. G. R. Locke moved as an amendment that all mention of any paper by name be omitted. J. M. Durrell accepted the amendment. The report was discussed and the amended motion was passed.

Twenty-seventh Question.—The twenty-seventh question of the Minutes was taken up: "What are the claims on the Conference funds?"

Twenty-eighth Question —The twenty-eighth question of the Minutes was taken up: "What has been received on these claims, and how has it been applied?"

The chairman of the Stewards distributed the moneys.

Preachers' Aid.—On motion of R. Sanderson, voted to appoint a committee of three to take into consideration plans by which to increase the income of the invested funds of the Preachers' Aid Society, and that they be rquested to report at the first session of the next Conference. W. J. Wilkins, R. Sanderson, W. Warren were appointed.

Reports.—C. D. Hills read the report of the Committee on Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education. Adopted, with request that it be reduced for publication in the Minutes. (See Reports.)

C. W. Dockrill read the report of the Committee on Book Concern and Publishing Interests. Adopted. (See Reports.)

Joseph Simpson read the report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance. Adopted. (See Reports.)

W. H. Hutchin read the report of the Committee on Insurance. Adopted. (See Reports.)

Post-graduate Study.—On motion of Thomas Whiteside, the Committee on Post-graduate Study for Preachers was re-elected with the substitution of E. C. Strout for Daniel Onstott.

Twenty-sixth Question.—The twenty-sixth question of the Minutes was taken up: "What is the aggregate of the benevolent collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference treasurer?"

Treasurer's Report.—W. B. Locke, Treasurer of the Conference, read his report.

R. T. Wolcott, auditor, presented the following certificate:

"This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Conference Treasurer, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

"R. T. WOLCOTT, Auditor."

The Treasurer also presented the following:

"This certifies that the Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer of the Conference have compared their tables and find that they agree one with the other.

"IRVING C. BROWN, Statistical Secretary.
"W. B. LOCKE, Treasurer."

The Treasurer's report was adopted.

The Secretary read the journal.

Reports.—The report of the Committee on the Treatment of Chaplains in the U.S. Navy was read by D.J. Smith. Adopted. (See Reports.)

The report of the Committee on Personal Statistics was read by J. W. Adams. Adopted. (See Reports.)

A verbal report in behalf of the Committee on Correspondence was given by E. S. Tasker.

Collection.—On motion of R. Sanderson a collection for the sexton of the church was ordered. The amount received was \$17.51.

Conference History.—The Conference Historian, G. H. Hardy, read his report. Adopted. (See Reports.)

On motion of G. H. Hardy, it was voted that S. E. Quimby, D. C. Knowles, and G. H. Hardy be a Committee on Conference History to report at the next session concerning the organization of a permanent Conference Historical Society.

At 4:30 the Bishop took the chair.

Resolutions.—Resolutions of thanks were presented by C. N. Tilton. Adopted. (See Resolutions.)

Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Questions.—The twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth questions of the Minutes were resumed, and final report made. (For detailed statement see Disciplinary Questions.)

Ajournment.—The journal was read and approved.

It was voted that, after the reading of the appointments, the Conference stand adjourned without day.

The Bishop addressed the Conference and read the appointments, closing with a brief prayer and the benediction.

EARL CRANSTON, President.

S. E. QUIMBY, Secretary.

Disciplinary Questions

1. Who have been received by transfer, and from what Conferences?

Charles H. Walters, from the New England Southern Conference; Fred K. Gamble from the Central Ohio Conference.

2. Who have been re-admitted?

None.

3. Who have been received on credentials, and from what churches?

None.

- 4. Who have been received on trial?
 - (a) In Studies of first year.

John Gowdy, Charles M. Tibbetts, Cyrus L. Corliss, William Magwood.

- 5. Who have been continued on trial?
 - (a) In studies of first year.

Charles W. Martin.

(b) In studies of second year.

Emile J. Palisoul, Joseph E. Montgomery, Herbert J. Foote, Benson P. Wilkins, Arthur M. Shattuck, William A. Hudson, Dick E. Burns.

6. Who have been discontinued?

None.

7. Who have been admitted into full membership?

James G. Cairns.

8. What members are in studies of third year?

James G. Cairns.

9. What members are in studies of fourth year?

J. Roy Dinsmore, Eugene C. Clough, George W. Clough, Eustace C. E. Dorion, John E. Sweet, Alba M. Markey, Clarence A. Reed, Alfred W. Frye.

- 10. What members have completed the Conference course of study?
 - (a) Elected and ordained elders this year.

Guy Roberts, Idelbert E. Miller, Roger E. Thompson, William F. Ineson, Arthur Wadsworth.

- 11. What others have been elected and ordained deacons?
 - (b) Under missionary rule.

John Gowdy.

- 12. What others have been elected and ordained elders?
 - (b) Under missionary rule.

John Gowdy.

- 13. Was the character of each preacher examined?

 This was strictly done as the names were called in open Conference.
- 14. Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?
 W. R. Webster, to the New York East; W. T. Carter, to the New England Southern; C. J. Brown, to the Vermont; N. D. Bigelow, to the Central Ohio; John Gowdy, a probationer to the Foochow.
- F5. Who have died?

 George N. Bryant.
- 16. Who have been located at their own request?

 None.
- 17. Who have been located?
 None.
- 18. Who have withdrawn?
- 19. Who have been permitted to withdraw under charges or complaints?

None.

- 20. Who have been expelled?
- 21. What other personal notations should be made?

 Not any.
- 22. Who are the supernumerary preachers?

 J. Wesley Bean, G. W. Norris, J. H. Knott, C. E. Hall, C. M.

Howard, J. D. Folsom, G. R. Locke, C. U. Dunning, Elihu Snow, Arthur Wadsworth.

- 23. Who are the superannuated preachers?
 - C. H. Chase, 1839; J. Hayes, 1840; J. Hooper, 1847; S. P. Heath, 1850;
 C. H. Smith, 1853;
 H. Chandler, 1853;
 W. H. Jones, 1855;
 Irad Taggart, 1855;
 J. A. Steele, 1855;
 L. W. Prescott, 1855;
 John H. Hillman, 1864;
 Otis Cole, 1865;
 James Noyes, 1867;
 George J. Judkins, 1868;
 Mellen Howard, 1869;
 E. C. Langford, 1888.
- 24. Who are the triers of appeals?
 - C. Byrne, S. McLaughlin, C. W. Taylor, R. Sanderson, T. Whiteside, W. M. Cleaveland, W. Warren.
- 25. What is the statistical report for this year? See Tables.
- 26. What is the aggregate of the benevolent collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference treasurer?

 \$13,101.
- 27. What are the claims on the Conference fund? \$5,510.00
- 28. What has been received on these claims, and how has itbeen applied?

Received \$2,747 44
Applied as follows:
Charles H. Chase\$100 00
Joseph Hayes
Josiah Hooper · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Charles H. Smith140 00
Henry Chandler 120 00
Wm. H. Jones
Lucian W. Prescott
Joel A. Steele120 00
Mellen Howard125 00
Irad Taggart 00
Otis Cole70 00
George W. Norris150 00

Widows:-

Jane P. Ryder\$125	
M. L. Gordon50	00
L. D. Barrows75	00
C. B. M. Woodward50	
Sophia A. Hewes	00
H. S. McIndoe55	00
Jane A. Howard 25	00
Eliza A. Carter95	00
Adeline H. Barber 25	00
Annie L. Davis100	00
O. H. Jasper·······	00
J. Morey Bean50	00
Truman Carter84	00
W. E. Bennett60	00
Joseph H. Brown40	00
A. C. Coult50	00
G. N. Bryant50	00
P. M. Frost25	
F. A. Dorion50	00

- 29. Where are the preachers stationed?
 See Appointments.
- 30. Where shall the next Conference be held?

 To be determined by the Presiding Elders.

Resolutions

Resolved, That we extend our hearty thanks and most sincere appreciation:

- 1. To our beloved Bishop Cranston for his brotherly love and Christian bearing toward each member of the Conference, and also for his kind but fearless handling of necessary but perplexing questions, and also for his able, inspiring, and sympathetic addresses and sermon.
- 2. To our brethern, the pastors of these several churches, for the tact, skill and patience shown in planning and carrying to complete success such a royal entertainment of this Conference.
- 3. To all families by whom we have been so generously and bountifully entertained.
- 4. To the organist and the choir of this church which have contributed much to the helpfulness of our service.
- 5. To the local press for its extended and very satisfactory notices and reports of the Conference.
- 6. To the Boston & Maine railroad for its reduced rates and kindly spirit shown all those desiring to attend the Conference.

C. N. TILTON.

Anniversaries and Sermons

The Curtis Lectures.—Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, a large and appreciative audience gathered in Grace church to listen to the Rev. O. A. Curtis, S.T.D., of Drew Theological School, Madison, N. J., who spoke on "Wendell Phillips." Dr. Curtis had known Wendell Phillips personally and his lecture took additional interest from this fact. He showed the secret of his power as an orator and his influence in the abolition of slavery. Dr. Curtis also lectured Thursday and Friday afternoons to crowded houses on "The Bible, Its Inspiration and Authority." His first lecture was devoted to the inspiration of the Book, while the second treated of its authority. They were masterful addresses, carrying conviction and exalting the Word of God.

Missionary Sermon.—Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock the Conference missionary sermon was preached. The speaker was the Rev. Edgar Blake. His theme was "The Field is the World." He showed the conquering power of the Gospel and of its worldwide authority.

Deaconess Anniversary.—The Deaconess Anniversary was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon. The Rev. W. H. Hutchin was chairman. Addresses were made by Miss Josephine Fiske, of the Deaconess Home, and the Rev. C. T. Watkins, D.D. Miss Mae Chisholm sang most acceptably. Dr. Watkins made arrangements with many of the brethren for the presentation of the Deaconess cause in their churches during the Conference year.

The Epworth League.—There was a large attendance at the anniversary of the Epworth League held Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The Rev. E. S. Tasker, president of the Conference League, was in the chair. Rev John Goudy read the Scripture and offered prayer, after which the Rev. Herbert Welch, D.D., of Middletown, Conn., spoke. He emphasized the need of spiritual life in the league, giving a clear and helpful message to the young people gathered before him.

Anniversary Sunday-School Union and Tract Society.—The Rev. C. E. Eaton presided at the anniversary of the Sunday-school Union and Tract society, which was held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The speaker of the afternoon was the Rev. C. Roads, D. D., of New York, who presented the interests of the society confided to his care.

Reception.—A pleasant reception to the ministers' wives was given at the First M. E. church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It was largely attended and proved a most pleasant occasion.

Anniversary of Church Extension Society.—The Rev. W. J. Atkinson presided at the anniversary of the Church Extension society, held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. The Rev. W. W. Ogier presented the interests of this society in a most interesting way.

Reception and Banquet.—A reception to "the heroes of the past," the superannuated preachers, was held in the vestry of Grace church Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock. This was followed by a banquet at 6 o'clock in Epworth hall. Some 200 persons were in attendance. Following the banquet, post-prandial exercises were held, with Rev. Roscoe E. Sanderson presiding. An address of power and point was delivered by Bishop Cranston, outlining the debt we owe to our past heroes, and suggesting the way we should show our gratitude.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.—Mrs. H. T. Taylor presided at the anniversary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Two addresses were delivered. The first was by Bishop Cranston, who spent much time in foreign fields, and spoke instructively of this department of our church work. Miss Clara Cushman, so well known to our Conference, followed the Bishop in an interesting address.

Woman's Home Missionary Society.—At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the Woman's Home Missionary society held its anniversary. Mrs. A. H. Farnsworth presided. An address replete with information and pointed in its presentation of facts was delivered by Mrs. May Leonard Woodruff, covering our work in the home fields.

Freedmen's Aid Society.—The Freedmen's Aid society held its anniversary Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. C. D. Hill, D.D., presided and introduced as the speaker of the occasion, the Rev. W. P. Thirkield, D.D., who presented the interests of the work among the black men of the South—a problem of patriotism as well as of religion.

Temperance.—A temperance meeting was called Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. There was a large attendance. The Rev. Dr. D. C. Babcock presided and the Rev. Dr. D. C. Knowles offered prayer. The Hon. M. J. Fanning, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Massachusetts, formerly of New Hampshire, spoke comparing the license and prohibition systems of dealing with the liquor traffic to the disadvantage of the former. Ex-Gov. D H. Goodell of New Hampshire followed giving an outline

of the work in New Hampshire and of the situation confronting the temperance forces.

SUNDAY SERVICES

The Conference Love-feast was held Sunday morning at 9 o'clock in Grace church. It was led by the Rev. C. U. Dunning, was largely attended and proved a most profitable hour.

At 10:30 the public service was held in the church. The Scriptures were read by Bishop Cranston and prayer offered by the Rev. S. E. Quimby. The Bishop then preached an excellent sermon, it being a defence of the authority of the Holy Word. He took his text from Acts 8:30, "Understandest thou what thou readest?" He showed that in order to understand the Word one must have the key, which are a penitent heart and a willingness to learn.

Memorial Service.—The Memorial service was held at 2 o'clock, with the Rev. John T. Hooper in charge. The Scriptures were read and prayer offered by the Rev. W. C. Bartlett. Special music was furnished by the choir. Memoirs of the late Rev. George N. Bryant were read by the Rev. S. E. Quimby; that of Mrs. Harriet Holman by the Rev. C. C. Garland, and that of Mrs. Harriet Andrews by the Rev. Elwin Hitchcock. The Rev. H. H. Hartwell made interesting remarks in connection with the death of the Rev. George N. Bryant.

Ordinations.—Those set aside to be ordained elders and deacons were ordained Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Bishop delivered an excellent address on the duties of the ministry.

Missionary Anniversary.—The anniversary of the Missionary society was held Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Presiding Elder Curl was in the chair. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Elwin Hitchcock. The address of the evening was delivered by the Rev. E. M. Taylor, D.D., of the Twentieth Century Movement. He spoke of the progress of the work and the wide extent of the missionary movement. A report from the treasurer of the Conference Missionary society, showed a decrease of \$250 in the collections from the year before.

Presiding Elders' Reports

CONCORD DISTRICT

We reach our annual gathering with expressions of praise and gratitude to God for the mercies of the year. Personally, the Presiding Elder feels grateful in that he has not been kept from his work a day by sickness, and has been able to travel 12,156 miles on his official mission without an accident, and with no delay that is worth speaking of. So far as he knows, his relations with his brethren and the churches have been pleasant, and he hopes not without profit.

Some of our homes have witnessed the overshadowings of sorrow, as they have been called to walk amid suffering and the shadows of death. But we believe the "sufficient grace" Paul speaks of has been experienced by them. An infant child came to and soon went from the home of Brother Magwood at Pittsburg. A bright and promising boy of seven years, after only a few hours illness, went out of the home of Brother Cleaveland. Early in the year, our worthy and beloved superannuate, Brother Geo. N. Bryant, left the dimmed light of this earth for the rapturous visions of eternity. A good man and true. He began his work among us in 1849; retired to the superannuated list in 1893, and went to glory in 1901.

After only three sabbaths of the year had passed, Brother G. B. Goodrich broke down with nervous prostration and was unable for duty until October. An ocean voyage to England and return greatly helped him. At the first quarterly conference at Tilton. Brother Wm. Warren was granted a leave of absence to visit his friends in England, which was a source of much pleasure to him. During his absence his pulpit and pastoral work was cared for with great acceptability by Brother S. E. Quimby. The pastor's wife "stayed by the stuff," and helped make good her husband's absence by visiting from house to house, and was privileged to see some converted. In September, Brother C. M. Howard, broken in health, left with his family for California, in hopes of a renewal of physical vigor, that he may be enabled to continue to preach the gospel he has loved so well. In October, Bro. T. E. Cramer, with the consent of the quarterly conference, left his charge for a few months to take up postgraduate work in the schools of New York City and vicinity. While in the midst of his labor he was prostrated with pneumonia, and for weeks his work had to be given up. But by the blessing of God he was fully restored and is again on duty. Here we were again glad of the faithful and efficient services of Brother Quimby, who for six months cared for the work at Littleton with the ability of one who has attained to the Master's degree.

In the chapter of accidents, two of our pastors' wives have been the chief sufferers: Mrs. C. U. Dunning and Mrs. C. D. Hills, both of whom were seriously hurt by falling on the ice. For some weeks Brother Willis Holmes has been laid aside, the result, no doubt, of overwork. For who that knows that man, but is certain that he never spares himself in the matter of toil for his Lord. He is improved and we trust will be all right if he will care for himself for a time. Some other homes have had more or less of sickness, but so far as we are advised at this time, most are well again.

We regret to state that our beloved fellow laborer, Brother C. U. Dunning, feels that his natural force has so far abated, that he can no longer bear the weight of pastoral responsibility, and will ask at this session leave to retire. He has wrought well for our King and his Kingdom. We trust he may find that "at evening time it shall be light."

Last spring a stranger came through our gates to one of our chief churches, Brother E. C. Strout. He is no longer a stranger, but a brother beloved whom we are glad to welcome.

THE CHURCHES-I, SPIRITUAL MATTERS

REVIVALS of wide extent, in which many have been converted, have been few. At Colebrook, showers of blessings have come upon the people, and more than half a hundred have given their hearts to God, been baptized and joined the church. At Suncook, union revival services were held for many weeks and over fifty expressed their purpose to serve God. Of the fifty-six churches where services have been held, in over forty of them from one to fifteen have been led to the Lord, many of whom have become probationers. So that Heaven has been made glad many times over the repenting sinner. There is one thing noticeable in these conversions, that most of them are the result of direct, personal work; and while, in the two instances already named, many were led to decisions in the special meetings, even there and in most of the work, the decisions have been made by the direct efforts of the pastor or some earnest Christian worker. Some of the churches have been barren of results so far as conversions are concerned. Why? Some one else may answer. In the special services, only three evangelists have been within our borders; in the others, pastors have either labored alone or gone to the assistance of their brethren.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS. Many of these are doing excellent work. Three have gone into winter quarters, but will probably thaw out as the spring comes. Almost without exception our lesson helps are used. There are over twenty Home Departments, most of which are doing well, and nearly as many Cradle Rolls. Most of our schools are out of debt.

EPWORTH LEAGUE. This continues to be a vital force in many of our churches. Here and there is a chapter that does not seem to realize the reason for its existence but, generally, they do well. One of our most hopeful institutions is the Junior League. We look for a great fruitage from this vine in the coming year, if the keepers of these vineyards will be true to their trust. These young people are very impressible and many of them are serving God. There are thirty-one senior and twenty-one junior chapters; 1550 senior and 792 junior members; 118 copies of the *Epworth Herald* taken; nine reading courses; two missionary study classes.

CLASS MEETINGS. If spiritual vitality and power are dependent upon the existence of the class meeting, then in many in our churches there can be none, for many churches do not, and have not for years, sustained one. Where they are kept up, the universal testimony is, the attendance is not large. A well attended class meeting ought to be a power yet.

CAMP-MEETINGS. The three meetings of the district were held as usual, and each was a meeting of much good. Plans are perfected for a tabernacle to be built at the Weirs for use in rainy weather. It is to be in readiness for the summer meetings.

ONE OF OUR NEEDS. If we could have \$1,000 to use for promoting the work of God, and then could put four or five Deaconnesses into our field, there is no doubt but we would see results that now are not secured. We should be thankful even for one, but in that case, the desire would be to divide her into so many parts that her work would not be of great effectiveness. One of these godly women could go into so many places, where both by precept and practice she could preach Jesus, that her presence would be worth everything for the kingdom.

2, TEMPORAL MATTERS

PASTORAL SUPPORT. In most cases the claim of the preachers will be paid in full. If only the amount estimated could be one on which a man could more than exist, it would help bring blessings; but when it is only at a "poor dying rate," and then a

man is almost dead before it comes, the pith has gone out of the blessing. No wonder some of our brethren cannot buy books, or go to preachers' meetings, or attend a camp-meeting, or get a bit of vacation, or even inform a presiding elder of their needs, because they have not even a postage stamp or the money to buy one. They have no bank account, and with the flour barrel empty, sugar gone, and nearly all the other provisions the same, they wonder how much the people appreciate the gospel of Jesus Christ. But, brethren, these men are not the ones to complain; they do their work as faithfully as men ever did it; go over large charges in careful, earnest pastoral work, and are true men of the apostolic spirit.

BENEVOLENCES. Generally the benevolences have all been taken; at least the preacher has gone through the motions. In some instances the returns have scarcely paid for the labor of carrying the collection box; but if he did his duty in presenting the cause, it is a means of education that may some day prove a means of grace. One fault which we have faithfully sought to correct, is the habit some have of leaving these causes to the last half or may be quarter of the year; then when the days of agony have come over current expenses, they are in the field for benevolences. The result is that one of these will suffer. If current bills are paid, benevolences are short, and if benevolences come up, there is something left either to mark deficient in the Conference Minutes, or put into the budget for next year to pay. But the general result is, the benevolences suffer, for when they are considered, the people say, "We must pay the minister." Some have done their duty faithfully and well. We hope the footing of the columns will show a spirit of liberality on the part of the people.

REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS. We are glad to note the erection of a new church at Beecher Falls, to cost when complete about \$2,000. Our company of members is small yet, but we have an increasing congregation. It is a railroad center, being the end of two divisions of the Maine Central railroad. There is also a large and flourishing furniture factory. As yet this is real frontier work, and must have help to get into a good place.

Colebrook has painted church and parsonage and built a new piazza, and paid for it. Milan has completely renovated their church building so that within it is a new house; steel walls and ceiling; a new chimney and furnace; choir platform and carpet; newly painted pews and a nice vestry. Chichester has installed a new furnace and made some changes that thereby became necessary.

Moultonboro have painted their parsonage property and added some more hard wood floors. They have a most desirable house to live in.

East Haverhill is painting their church. Benton have shingled part of theirs, and Bristol shingled their parsonage. Landaff, by a partition, has made a vestibule, and also built a chimney, both of which adds to the comfort of the worshipper.

The Monroe quarterly conference ordered electric lights to be placed in the parsonage and soon will have them in the church; also Center Sandwich have painted their parsonage and will at once make needed repairs. The parsonage at Stark has been shingled.

By this recital it does not seem as if we had done much in this line; but the facts are, most of our property is in quite good condition, much of it having been renovated within the past five years. There still remains some that is much out of repair, and plans are developing in some places for improvements in the near future.

DEBTS. We have been in the doxology atmosphere this year. Lancaster, by the quiet, persistent hang-on-a-tiveness of her pastor, and the generous, sacrificing giving of the people, has paid a debt of \$3,929.61, and burned the notes amid tears of joy.

Bethlehem, by a gift of \$5,000 from the estate of the late Charles A. Sinclair, has invested in their church debt so that it is beyond the reach of trouble forever. Whitefield keep at work on their debt, and have taken off \$450 this year.

The parsonage held by the churches at Monroe and North Monroe has had a debt against it of \$1,000 for some years. A few weeks ago, Brother A. D. Mason, one of the official members of the church, who held the note, sent it to the quarterly conference together with the deed of the property that it might be theirs forever. This brother has since gone to his heavenly home, leaving additional reminders of his love for the church that will be mentioned later.

Lakeport has been reducing their debt a little each year. This year they have made a heroic effort and the last \$485 has disappeared, and amid rejoicing they have burned the notes.

At Concord First church there has been a debt of \$1,000. The pastor's wife awoke with the conviction that it was part of her work to help lift that debt. She went at it. Morning, afternoon and evening she labored; and nights she dreamed of and planned for it. She pushed her way among the people; they gave hearty response, and it was not long until the entire amount had been subscribed and will be paid before the 31st of next December.

Franklin Falls have reduced their debt to the amount of \$31.00, but have expended nearly \$300 for a new furnace. Ashland, by the gift of Daniel C. Hill, has been able to reduce their debt, \$100. Several other churches have debts that must be disposed of soon, or they will dispose of our usefulness as societies.

EDUCATIONAL

ZION'S HERALD. More of our people are reading this, our church paper, than ever before. By the energy of the canvassing agent sent out by the publisher, many hundreds of new subscribers have been secured. Most of our pastors have been looking faithfully after it also. Let it be pushed until it is found in every home.

The Conference Seminary. We have reached the days of prosperity. The tide seems to be turning this way. Students are here in larger numbers than for a long time. The registration for the last fall term was larger than any year for more than twenty-five years; and the building part of the year has been inadequate for the needs of the school, so that rooms had to be secured outside. This is the first time there has been an overflow in these buildings. Let it continue. The day may come when more room must be had for students. "There is nothing succeeds like success." If it be true, as the old lady said, "Them that has, gits"; or as the Good Book says, "To him that hath shall be given," then more of money to care for these coming students will be forthcoming.

One of the needs, now that we have a splendid endowment, is a gymnasium, that will put the school on a par with schools of equal endowment. This ought to come at once.

During the past year, Brother J. M. Durrell, who had already made a gift of a chemical laboratory, has completed his gift by fitting up a Biological laboratory in the second story of the same building.

During the coming year Dr. Irah E. Chase is to give a course of eight lectures to the students on the general topic of "Physiology and Hygiene." These are free to students, and are intended "to impart instruction for the attainment of the best possible physical development."

Some religious interest has existed during the year and several have been converted. The school is well managed with Prof. G. L. Plimpton at the head, and as New Hampshire Conference Methodists we may well be proud of it.

TWENTIETH CENTURY THANK OFFERING

Evidently many have nothing to be thankful for, or nothing to

be thankful with, or are indifferent to the appeals that have been made. For the gifts of the people as a whole have been very small, only where they have raised large debts. "Something from every person," has not been a success. Still on the whole we have a good showing as the figures will indicate. Some by their wills have done generously and future generations will praise them.

A few days ago the executor of the will of the late Wm. A. Heard, of Center Sandwich, paid over to the treasurer of the Conference Trustees, \$1,000, the income to be used for Conference Claimants. This was reported in the gifts by will last year, hence is not counted in the figures of this.

We are gratified to present the following as the gifts of the present year:

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Thank offering expenses	
Church debts	
Church extension	250 00
Education	204 00
Conference claimants	5,025 00
Deaconess hospital	12 00
Domestic missions	7,312 00
Conference Seminary	5,000 00
Total	\$25,032 93
	#231032 93
Add to this the gifts reported one year ago	
amounting to	\$28,792 00
And we have for these two years	\$53,924 93
And we have for these two years	#33,924 93

We wish it were more; we are thankful it is as much.

THE MISSIONARY APPROPRIATIONS

to the charges were paid out as per the directions given at the last Conference; and each man received his portion in due season. It may surprise some of you for me to say, that for some of them, it was the most cash they saw between the quarterly coming of the Presiding Elder.

IN CONCLUSION. These men still believe the gospel to be the power of God unto salvation to every one that believes; and that it is still the business of the church to pray for and expect the revival of God's work. We are very sure there is not a man among us who considers it his chief end to cater to the element that says, "Revivals are out of date, and it is now the business of the church to plan for the amusement of the people. The so-called revival does more harm than good." The man who feels that way and talks it publicly, ought to "go to his own place"

which will be outside the pale of Methodism. While Concord District believes heartily in the proper cultivation of the social side of our natures, these men believe and preach, "repentance toward God and faith in our Lord Jesus Christ."

O. S. BAKETEL, Presiding Elder.

DOVER DISTRICT

The church of Christ is the light of the world. It is from God and for man. Its foundations are the broadest, its aims the highest. Its spirit is the purest type of love, than which nothing is more beautiful in earth or Heaven, for God is love.

The Methodist church is a part of God's plan for saving the world. The Methodist preacher is God's man, called, annointed, equipped for this holy service. He is to dwell in the secret place of the most high, heart to heart with God, seeing the Invisible. He must touch life above, that he may lift the lower life up into God. He must know humanity, sympathize with it, give himself for it. The minister in his study is shut in with the greatest minds of the ages. His daily food is the richest, ripest thought. In bringing Christ into the lives of others he receives a corresponding enlargement and enrichment in mind and heart. In the broadest sense no other calling pays like the ministry. Jesus came to minister.

At our last annual Conference thirty-five preachers were appointed to Dover District, having in charge forty-four societies or preaching places. All entered heartily upon their work. All have continued faithful at their respective posts to this day. No accident nor serious illness has laid aside any of our workmen.

Nine preachers, living within our district, are in the local ranks and render occasional pulpit service. Nine others are members of our Conference, whose names are on the retired roll of honor. The fifty-three constitute a noble band of brothers with whom it is an honor to be associated.

ILLNESS

Our good brother, Rev. G. W. Norris, has improved somewhat in health during the year. He may possibly look in upon us at this session of our Conference. He is deeply interested in the work of the Kingdom. Calls from his brothers are greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. W. T. Boultenhouse passed safely through a very critical surgical operation. Her health seems to be fully restored. Her husband, church and all who know her, are most thankful for her deliverance.

FRENCH WORK

The Rev. W. H. Leith has conducted the French work in Dover during the year and in Exeter a part of the time. The Dover mission is encouraging, adding several excellent members to St. John's church. The Exeter work is not as hopeful. The work among the French is slow, but important. Souls hungering for the bread of life must be fed.

REVIVALS

In nearly every church special revival services have been held. For the most part pastors have been their own evangelists, neighboring pastors assisting. Exeter reports having received thirty probationers; Lawrence, Garden St., twenty-five; Portsmouth, sixteen; Amesbury, Haverhill, 1st church, Dover and Salisbury, fourteen each; Haverhill, 3rd church, nine; Lawrence, 1st church, Smithtown and Hampton, five each; Methuen, Rochester and Milton Mills, four each; others have had a few accessions.

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

More than 200 names have been added to our church roll. Lawrence, Garden St., thirty-eight; Methuen, thirty-one; Dover, twenty-one; Portsmouth, fourteen; Rochester, eleven; Lawrence, 1st church, Amesbury, East Rochester, Haverhill, 1st church, and Haverhill, 3rd church, ten each; Lawrence, St. Paul's, seven. With few exceptions some increase is reported from every church.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

"Decision Day" is a wise provision in Sunday-school work. Heart consecration is essential for spiritual culture. All teaching should aim at nothing less. If children with such environments fail to find Christ, to win them later to a life of faith is a difficult matter. The opportunities and responsibilities of teachers are great and call for consecrated workers. The home department and cradle roll are interesting features of practical value.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE

Young life, enthusiastic, organized, disciplined, is an essential factor in the church. This must be recognized and utilized. Rightly understood it is a power for righte usness. Ignored or misdirected it may be a source of vexation or even danger. This in outline is characteristic of the league; a petted child at first, but later, wiser grown and very helpful, a joy and inspiration to the Kingdom. The leagues on Dover district are putting thought, heart and time into their work. We have a very efficient leader in Dean K. Webster, president of the district.

SOCIAL MEETINGS

The love-feast is a bygone institution. The class meeting is

dropping out of sight. The old Sunday night prayer meeting, with its mighty prayers, powerful exhortations and revival fires is out of working order. The week night prayer service is getting hard pressed and harder hit with clubs and secret orders.

SECRET ORDERS

Secret orders are the order of the day. To denounce them without knowledge is not wise; to attempt to overthrow them would result in individual annihilation.

NOT NIGHTS ENOUGH

"There are not nights enough in the week for all engagements" people tell us. What then? "Seek first the kingdom." Mightily emphasize the work of Christ. Bring vital, spiritual truth home to the hearts of men. Stir the soul centers. A living Christ in living men will never, never die, but will center lesser interests in the greater, dominating, conquering. God dwelling in Zion will vitalize a dying world. The inner sanctuary of His presence is the hearts of holy men. "Keep thy heart with all diligence, for out of it are the issues of life." "The fellowship of the mystery" is love in Christ stronger than death. The fraternal bonds of earth are ropes of sand compared with it.

MISSIONS

"The field is the world." The gospel message should be heard in every land, in every tongue. Millions, with outstretched hands, implore our help. Thousands are ready to go and teach them Christ. The wealth of the world belongs to God. Who is withholding? Robbing souls and robbing Jesus. We trust that our missionary and other benevolences will show a healthy increase.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY OFFERING

Before this special Twentieth Century movement closes we hope to see all our church indebtedness cancelled. With vigorous, persistent effort success is assured.

THE OPEN DOOR EMERGENCY

This call of the church is certainly of the Lord and demands prayerful, financial attention. Dr. E. M. Taylor is stirring the hearts of the people on this subject. May the treasury of the Lord's house be filled with the Lord's money; then Zion will rejoice and the kingdoms of this world will be won for Christ.

THE LADIES' CIRCLE

The Ladies' Circle is an important factor in church work and should receive official recognition. In caring for the parsonage, in providing for miscellaneous bills, in meeting a social want in the church, this society is invaluable. Their reports should have place in the records of the quarterly conference and their president should have a seat in the official body.

PREACHERS' AID

The nation gratefully remembers the heroes who fought her battles. Shall the church be less thoughtful? Shall business men prospered in the goods of this world let their spiritual fathers suffer for the comforts of life? Rev. W. J. Wilkins has sent out a touching appeal, giving us some sad facts on this subject. It has been demonstrated that Memorial Sunday or Old Folks' day is a favorable time to present this important matter to the people.

ZION'S HERALD

Intelligent Christianity demands a church paper. The work of Christ in the earth should receive as much attention as the secular news of the day. No Methodist home should be without the *Herald*. Devotional reading and revival news are food to the spiritually minded.

HEDDING

The old camp-ground is as attractive as ever. Its permanent friends are increasing every year. It is a little city in the woods, a delightful summer home. The Chautauqua Assembly and campmeetings were a success.

IMPROVEMENTS

The church at North Wakefield has been painted in the interior and otherwise improved. The dilapidated structure at East Wolfeboro' has been transformed. It is now a very neat and comfortable place for worship. At Moultonville and Tuftonboro' valuable improvements have been made. New pulpit chairs have been presented to each society. Repairs have been made on the parsonage and new furnishings added to the church at Salisbury. The grounds about the church and parsonage at Sanbornville have been greatly improved. Church also repainted. At Lawrence, Garden Street, the old settees in the vestry have given place to comfortable chairs. The parsonage has been repainted. Lawrence, First church, has been greatly improved by a new coat of paint. At Auburn paint and brush have added much to the appearance of the weather-beaten church edifice. The church at Greenland has been repainted also. A cabinet organ has been purchased at Smithtown and a piano at St. Paul's, Lawrence.

PAID ON INDEBTEDNESS

Amesbury, \$1,000 and the balance is practically provided for. Lawrence, Garden Street, \$800; Lawrence, St. Paul's, \$600; both of these churches are now free from debt. Haverhill, First church, \$300; Haverhill, Grace church, \$350. Somersworth, \$437, and is

now free from all indebtedness. Epping, \$125, the balance will be secured in a few weeks. Lawrence, St. Mark's, \$100. Exeter, \$100. Methuen, \$40.

LEGACIES

Newfields has received \$1,000 from the estate of Dr. Brodhead, late of Washington, D. C. Dover \$300 from the estate of Fanny Brown.

DOMESTIC FUND

Thirty-eight dollars received from the Conference treasurer has been paid out as follows: Tuftonboro', \$4; North Danville, \$4; Epping, \$6; Raymond, \$5; Haverhill, First church, \$20.

IN CONCLUSION

The work of the year has ended. To properly estimate it is not an easy matter. The record is with God. The past is closed. The future opens before us.

We are living in a most interesting period. The mind developed through the cycles of the years is intense in thought, and the age of strenuous effort has been ushered in. The church must keep step with the times and be the leader in everything that makes for the uplift of our race.

We believe in God, we believe in man. We believe in the Godman, Christ, and that his victory is certain. To make our victory sure we must keep in line with Him.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH E. ROBINS.

MANCHESTER DISTRICT

Manchester district has some of the most beautiful scenery in the world—a few hills and mountains, for beauty and symmetry unsurpassed in New England—a very fertile soil, with fine valleys and plains, and the two largest cities in the state, with some smaller ones fully their equal in beauty and energy. We have a very fine class of laymen, and the pulpits are filled with men of ability. With all the saloon doors in the state closed, and with law and gospel both at work to strangle the serpent, we are slowly, but surely marching to victory. While our churches cannot all be reached by steam, nevertheless, most of them have been generating steam, by the aid of higher power than their own, which propels the old ship, and helps spiritually dead men to live again, and leads on to the time when we shall have "a morning without clouds."

The one aim of the year has been to advance the "Kingdom of God." Our efforts have been successful in the line of material prosperity to some extent, but, "The best of all is, God has been with us." There has been very little sickness with the ministers and their families, save Brothers A. B. Rowell and C. W. Martin, who were kept out of the pulpit for some time on account of illness. But they are much improved and are now ready for service. Brother Hitchcock was unable to preach for a month from the loss of his voice, but is now fully recovered

Rev. H. B. Copp was married last summer; and judging from present indications there are others who do not need we should say, "Go thou and do likewise."

The two camp-meetings, Claremont and Wilmot, were quite well attended and of excellent spirit. The French Mission work in Manchester has had a good year. The oldest members of this church say they have had the best times the past year they ever had, since the organization of the society. Most of the churches will report a gain in membership.

Several blessed revivals have come to the district. Keene by earnest, unflagging effort, and thorough consecration on the part of both pastor and people has gathered a large number from the bondage of sin "into the liberty of the children of God." Much credit is due Brother and Sister Durrell for their systematic planning, and skilful generalship in leading up to this victory. Newport, with Pastor Thompson as his own evangelist, rejoices over several converts as a triumph of Divine grace. Hillsboro Bridge has had one of the best years of its history. Brother Brown, assisted by some of his brethren, held special meetings for a month and was richly paid in a number of souls soundly converted to God. Peterboro has been visited with the Divine presence and a glorious revival is the result. Dr. Babcock and his people at West Derry, uniting with the Baptists, under Evangelist Gillam, have had a glorious revival, greatly quickening the church, and converting and bringing into the kingdom a large number of earnest souls. Grasmere, where Rev. A. B. Rowell is pastor, has had a time of refreshing and a large ingathering as the result of some special meetings. Arlington Street, Nashua, Brookline, Milford, Henniker, Hinsdale, Lebanon, and Marlow, with many others, have had excellent results in gathering fruit for the life immortal. Some others, who cannot show such results, have worked hard and deserve much credit in that they have done their best.

The Epworth and Junior Leagues flourish in most of the churches in the district.

The benevolent collections, as reported at the fourth quarterly conference, will make a good fair showing.

As to the "Thank Offering," we report progress. Tilton Semimary has received from the Willingford estate \$1,272.34.

Paid on debts and improvements, \$26,794.84. Last autumn the Arlington Street church of Nashua completed the new church edifice, and on November third the church was dedicated to the service and worship of Almighty God, leaving a debt of only \$700 not accounted for. This we consider a sweeping victory. Manchester First church has paid the old debt, and improved the church and parsonage property at a cost of about \$1,400. Trinity church, Manchester, has paid their debt of \$1,900 and rejoice in their freedom. Hillsboro Bridge has paid a debt of \$230 carried over from last year. Claremont has improved the property and built a kitchen at a cost of \$537. North Charlestown has made repairs on the parsonage at a cost of. \$75. Grasmere has expended about \$300 on the church and parsonage property which adds much to beauty and comfort. Henniker has improved the parsonage to the valuation of \$70. Some very much needed repairs and improvements on the parsonage at Contoocook have been made, besides paying a debt of \$70. Lebanon, Enfield, and Canaan Street have each during the year improved the home for the minister in beauty and comfort. Hudson has improved the church at a cost of \$150. The church at Webster has been furnished with new stained glass windows. Hinsdale reports \$800 paid on the debt this year. St. Paul's, Manchester. has placed \$300 of improvements on the church, and St. James \$250 on their parsonage.

Class meetings still live with us, and in preserving spiritual life and training young converts they are still a great factor. Sundayschool work was never more carefully looked after, nor more highly appreciated than at the present time.

Very early in the year, finding his strength was not equal to the work, Rev. Elihu Snow resigned his charge at St. James, Manchester, and the services of Rev. W. H. Hutchin were at once secured; and he has rendered most excellent and valuable services for the church.

There have been clouds and dark hours, much of sunshine and hope, mountain top and valley experiences, difficulties to meet which could not be mastered without the help of God, but we have held on and done our best. "Nay in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us." For our future work, in hope of victory, as well as we are equipped today, we need a baptism with the Holy Spirit more than we need anything else. Oh, may He come to-day!

The missionary money placed in my hands a year ago has been paid out as directed by the committee. Domestic funds to the amount of \$100.50 paid as follows:

Enfield	\$33 00		
$Wilmot \cdots \cdots$	32 05		
Fitzwilliam	00		
St. James, Manchester	oo		
No. Salem:	o oc		
$Goffstown \cdots \cdots$	5 00		
Respectfully submitted,			
G. M. CURL, Presiding Elder.			

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EDUCATION

The Methodist church was born in a college, and her interest in education has kept pace with her growth. We need make no apology for the schools and colleges connected with our church. The splendid work they have done, and are now doing, not only for Methodism, but for God and humanity, justifies their existence. Boston University, with its many departments and efficient professors; Wesleyan University, with its splendid corps of Christian instructors; Drew Theological Seminary, that grand "school of the prophets"; the Woman's College of Baltimore, under the able management of that noble man, Dr. Goucher, are all fitting young people for positions of responsibility and trust, that they may better serve the age in which they live. We rejoice in the progress being made. With the American University at Washington, two and one-half million dollars have already been given.

We should not forget the Boston Correspondence School, under the leadership of Dean A. A. Wright, D.D. This school is of special interest to young men pursuing the Conference course of studies.

What shall we say of our own Tilton Seminary—beautiful for situation, and removed from the snares and temptations of city life. Methodist parents looking for a preparatory school, where they may send their children, can find no better place than Tilton, with its thorough equipment, its homelike atmosphere and Christian influence.

These schools are ours, and we are recreant to our duty unless we do what we can to persuade Methodists to patronize their own institutions, everything else being equal.

We believe that the education of no Christian is complete without a knowledge of the history, polity, and working of his own church. Therefore, we hope the day is not far distant when there shall be in every Methodist home, one or more of our Church papers, and a Methodist discipline.

We recommend as visitors: To Boston School of Theology, H. D. Deetz, A. L. Smith; to Wesleyan University, E. S. Tasker; to Drew Theological Seminary, Thomas E. Cramer; to Woman's College, Baltimore, G. M. Curl; N. E. Deaconess Home and Training School, L. R. Danforth, James Cairns.

NEW HAMPSHIRE CONFERENCE SEMINARY

No agency is more important in the training of young men and women for the work of life than the preparatory school. It receives the student at his most impressionable period, and determines in a large measure the character of his future thought and action. It is important therefore that such schools should be characterized by a wholesome, moral and religious atmosphere wherein the student may find inspiration and nourishment for the highest ideals of life. The ultimate test of the school's value is the character which it gives to its students. Our own Conference Seminary is preeminently a school for the development of strong and earnest Christian manhood and womanhood. It surrounds the student with a wholesome and invigorating moral and religious atmosphere, and no one can pursue his studies within its walls and fail to come forth nobly inspired for the higher duties of life.

The mental training of the student also receives careful and thorough attention. A corps of splendidly trained teachers, each thoroughly equipped for his chosen task, makes the school an excellent opportunity for the culture of the mind. The high standing of Tilton graduates in the colleges of New England is sufficient evidence of the thoroughness of the intellectual work done at the Seminary.

As a Conference we heartily commend Tilton Seminary to parents and guardians, who are seeking a school where their children will be provided with the best mental training and at the same time be surrounded by invigorating moral influences.

We rejoice in the prosperity of the school. The present year is one of the most successful in its history. The attendance has been larger than at any time in twenty-five years, and for the first time in the history of the present building, the quarters have been too small, and rooms for the students have had to be secured outside.

We would call attention to the \$100 a year plan, adopted by the school, by which a limited number of worthy students of small means can obtain their course for a very small sum by doing a certain amount of work each day for the school. Under these conditions no boy or girl of sound mind and body is too poor or friendless to obtain the benefits of Tilton Seminary.

We would also call attention to a law passed at the last session of the legislature requiring such towns as do not support a high school to pay the tuition of its students at any high school or academy in the state which they may elect to attend. We recommend that pastors in towns without high school privileges call the attention of parents to this law and at the same time press

the claims of our own Seminary. We believe that in this way many other students may be secured.

The most urgent need of the school at the present time is a new gymnasium. Dr. I. E. Chase of this city, an ever loyal and generous friend of our Seminary, has subscribed an initial thousand dollars for this project, and it remains for the other friends of the school to provide the balance needed.

Believing that the New Hampshire Conference Seminary at Tilton has an important mission to fulfil in training the youth of our Methodism for their duties to society, to the church and to Christ, we bespeak for the school the hearty sympathy and support of every member of the New Hampshire Conference.

We nominate as visitors: Rev. G. W. Farmer and wife; Mr. E. H. Thompson and wife of Lebanon, and Rev. E. C. Strout.

EDGAR BLAKE, Chairman.

CHURCH EXTENSION

To the Board of Church Extension of the Methodist Episcopal Church is due, in large measure, the credit for the rapid and influential growth of American Methodism. It has been the office of the board, following wisely in the track blazed by the early pioneers, to encourage the permanence and life of the church. Without this substancial aid, the religious growth would have been slow and feeble in many new and needy communities, where now strong churches flourish. In young and promising cities of the west, in scattered districts on the prairies, in sequestered hamlets on the mountain ranges, and under the stately palms of the south, as well as in the older east, this organization within the church has been instrumental in grouping individual worshippers into congregations and by gift or loan has aided in the erection of convenient and suitable houses of worship.

The work done in this respect has been far-reaching. Thus far 12,018 churches have been built or materially aided in the history of the board. During the thirty-six years of its existence, the total net receipts have reached the sum of \$7,371,711.73. Of this sum \$575,000 have been used to aid over 2,600 churches of the colored Conferences, and more than \$550,000 have been granted to 1,700 churches that have struggled manfully for existence in the southern white Conferences. With the enlargement of the American Republic new demands have been laid upon the board for aid in the construction of churches in the Philippines, Hawaii, and Porto Rico.

While this great benevolence appeals widely to our common

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Methodism, the New Hampshire Conference has had important interests centered in it, having contributed to the funds of the board \$22,320. During the year now closing the amount raised is \$637, making a total of \$22,957 for the aid of needed and needy churches. But if we are helping the general cause of Church Extension throughout our connectionalism, we also help ourselves by donations and loans that come to churches within our borders.

We ought, then, to recognize the obligation that rests upon our church at large for the support of this special benevolence. If the people are unresponsive for lack of knowledge, we ought to see that they are supplied with the needful information, that their contributions may be made from an intelligent appreciation of the important place which Church Extension holds in the general progress of the denomination. Every one interested in Methodism, patriotism, protestantism, and in the general public good, should contribute something to the cause in the following divisions: (1) For the General Church Building Fund; (2) for the Loan Fund; (3) for the Frontier or Memorial Fund (\$250 plan); (4) for the Mountain Fund (\$100 plan).

We are glad to welcome Rev. W. W. Ogier and Dr. W. B. Parr as representatives of the board at our Conference session, and we hereby express our appreciation of their helpful presentations of the needs and deeds of the society.

In view of the constantly increasing demands that come for aid with the growth of communities, we shall be unworthy of our spiritual ancestry if we do not redouble our diligence. If we have done well, let us do better. By greater efforts shall we see greater triumphs, and from our dreams and sacrifices churches shall arise that shall some day become towers of strength for religion, and bulwarks into which the weary may run and find rest. It is our mission thus to help on the Redeemer's kingdom.

G. W. FARMER, Chairman.

FREEDMEN'S AID AND SOUTHERN EDUCATION SOCIETY

The Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society is still on the front line of benevolent institutions in the Southland in behalf of the 10,000,000 black people and 3,000,000 white. The one theological, nine collegiate, thirteen academic and two medical institutions among the negroes and the three colleges and sixteen academies among the whites are making the most of their limited resources. The work done last year by nearly 500 teachers upon 10,200 students is fundamental. Its heroic work is prophetic of a

final adjustment of the relations of the races in America and also prophetic of the weal of Africa.

Over \$12,000,000 have poured into the necessities of the Southland from the M. E. church since 1865 and the greater portion of this stream was to help the negro help himself.

We deprecate the fact that twenty-nine charges in this Conference report nothing for this work in the South, yet we show a better record relatively than the New York, New York East, Philadelphia and New Jersey Conferences, for our Conference last year raised more than one third of its apportionment of \$2,000, which is the same for this year. The 13,849 members gave last year about 5 1-4 cents per member, but they did better than the great metropolitan Conference. Yet more money, equipments, teachers and facilities are required. The debt of \$135,000 should speedily be paid. But all of our activities and benevolences are in opposition to the Old South sentiment, viz., "All attempts to force upon the negroes the education and civilization of a white man are not only unphilosophic, but absurd and detrimental." In keeping with this statement is the practical fact that the 15th amendment of the Constitution of the United States has become a mere farce.

Disfranchised citizens are unjustly counted in the Congressional representation. The national government is silent before the anarchical and threatening defiance of such men as Senator Benjamin F. Tillman. The best public sentiment in the South he declares to be opposed to educating black men and making them citizens. Booker Washington in his opinion is only an excresence. The cry now is, no school for the black child unless the black man's tax money pays for it. Dwarf his brain and he will be as a docile slave and care no more to vote than a dog does. What with disfranchisement and efforts to virtually close the public schools it does seem as if a satanic influence is working to make Psalm 82, 3, read "Do injustice to the afflicted and needy." But they should have justice and help.

The ruling political South cannot be moving on God's lines in its dealings with the negro problem if any regard is had to the principles of the Bible; and such counter running to the world's directory is dangerous to the nation.

To brutalize or destroy is not a heaven born idea. Egypt was thrown in its wrestling to throw Israel. Abel Stevens spoke for millions in America when he said "We certainly have abused the negro enough." We think such deliberate frauds perpetrated against him will prove broken cogs in the running of the national machine. We shall feel more and more the jar and jolt of growing unsteadiness. The problem is met by saying let the old machine

run on. But this augurs a bloody smashup sometime. The gentle brute at bay will fight and are we sure the negro will not? The successors of the Douglasses, Langstons, Washingtons and Bowens must thunder until Uncle Samuel and all his nephews become honest in their dealings with the colored member of the national family. The New South is bound to come.

In the Arkansas legislature Dr. Curry, a Confederate officer, looked the members in the face and exclaimed "The man who says the negro ought not to be educated is either a knave or a fool." Now as a church we are in the South because needed there to promote intelligence, conscience, morality, civil equality and genuine religion among the black people and lowly whites. The pressing of Christian education is the only solution of the vexing race question in our country.

Suggestions. Accept the apportionment of \$2,000 and have the amount destributed to the various districts and charges as set forth in the Discipline. Read and commend the *Christian Educator* and also the gratuitous literature of the society. Take the great cause on to the heart. Prepare a special sermon. Preach it and be blessed. Use the anniversary service issued by the society. Take a collection anyway and if not a penny is given, fill the blank yourself as a preacher and thus let our Conference break its monotonous record of perpetuating blanks.

C. D. HILLS, Chairman.

ZION'S HERALD

The recognition which our New England denominational journal receives as a leading religious paper, from other periodicals, both religious and secular, is gratifying to us, and is, we believe, deserved. Its utterances we find quoted with approval by the best papers of the day. Zion's Herald maintains its high character and reputation as a progressive and thoroughly evangelical publication. Its editor, we doubt not, aims to make it the exponent of the doctrines and polity of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and a religious family newspaper devoted chiefly to the interests of the six Conferences of our New England states and to the churches within their bounds.

The very general satisfaction expressed by our intelligent and consecrated laymen is good evidence of the *Herald's* worth and an excellent criterion in judging of its matter and management. We heartily appreciate and commend the endeavors of the *Herald's* editor to "give its readers the *best* things *first.*" We like the optimistic tone of the paper, the candor with which questions of the day are discussed, and heartily approve its support of the

nation's best servants when maligned. The mechanic reads his scientific magazine, the merchant his market special, and the physician his medical journal. All aggressive and progressive men of affairs read some periodical devoted to their peculiar line of activity in the world's work. The Methodist Episcopal Church is doing a large business for the kingdom of God involving millions of lives and treasure. How can we be intelligent and profitable members of that church unless we read regularly one or more of the leading journals devoted to her interests. Zion's Herald is adapted to the needs of New England Methodists. It is instructive, devotional, ably edited, fearless and independent, devoted to our home interests and yet not neglecting the general field of the church.

While we gratefully appreciate the economical management of the paper which gives so much in surplus earnings to our superannuates, we hope for the day when the Conferences can care for their own, and *Zion's Herald* be allowed to spend any surplus on the further enrichment of the paper.

The *Herald* is fortunate in its publisher, Mr. Geo. E. Whitaker, who has made himself deservedly popular by his untiring efforts to promote the financial interests of the paper, and by his unfailing courtesy and geniality.

We nominate as visitors to the Wesleyan Association, Rev. E. C. Strout and Mr. F. P. Kellum of Winchester.

F. C. ROGERS, Chairman.

CHURCH BENEVOLENCES

"With what measure ye mete it shall be measured to you again." "It is more blessed to give than to receive." While we may give unselfishly for the cause of Christ and for humanity we are receiving such a blessing of untold magnitude that the church for its own good cannot afford to lose it. Our benevolences are a part of our Christianity and a part, even if it were not enjoined by the Discipline, which we ought not to neglect. We do not deem it wise to lay down rules as to what may be the best method or time of taking these collections, for different charges require different methods and times, but we do believe that ou all charges there should be a thoughtful, intelligent and correct presentation of each of our benevolences, so that the people may know and understand the needs of the different objects to which they are asked to contribute. When they know the need and also know what our church is doing an interest must be aroused which will result in more generous giving. Let each pastor at least try to do his best by presenting each cause and taking all collections.

CLAUDIUS BYRNE, Chairman.

PERSONAL STATISTICS

The secretaryship of Personal Statistics was created by this Conference in 1868. From that time until now (thirty-four years) I have filled that office. During this time 290 full sketches of our ministers have been spread upon the records. Two hundred fortynine abstracts of these have been re-copied for the use of our Conference Historian and seventy-one have been again written out in full for the use of our memorial committees. During the year now closing five members have filled and returned our blanks to me and they have been transferred to the secretary's book. Their names are Revs. G. W. Jones, R. E. Thompson, E. C. E. Dorion, J. E. Sweet and E. C. Strout. Every year I carefully review the entire list of living members and add the appointments, transfers, changes of relation, ordinations and such other important facts as can be gleaned from the official Minutes. This laborious task is a labor of love. It has been a great pleasure to serve our living brethren, who are making such honorable records, and a sad pleasure to aid in rendering the merited tribute to our sainted dead. All the compensation we ask for this important service, is that you will give us more to do. And this you may, by sending us data concerning the advent and departure of the younger members of the family and any other pertinent information. Help us, brethren, in the completion of a volume, which, to those who come after us, will be of priceless value.

J. W. ADAMS, Secretary.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT

We often wish that God had provided some other way for the ministerial support. But God is wiser than man, so if the plan is His, as we think it must be, the plan must be all right. And the trouble in some places must be with the way the plan is worked, or rather the failure to work the plan. By the way the work is sometimes conducted, and by some things that are said the pastor sometimes feels as if he was an object of charity; when the chances are, if he has fully done his duty, that he has worked harder for his salary than any other man in the community for the same amount of money.

There is a saying that "We do not live to eat, but we eat to live." We do not mean to imply that the minister preaches for money, but he must have money to live. We feel some sympathy for the minister who borrowed ten dollars Saturday night to carry in his pocket over Sunday that he might preach better.

We wonder how often the churches or the official boards do really "consider the needs" of the pastor, especially when the

hand of disease brings added burdens. When the salary is small and sickness comes, and when the salary is paid very slowly, some ministers to-day understand what the "fathers" are talking about when they recite some of their experiences.

Some of the people, especially the poor, know how rich is the blessing that follows sacrificial giving. God bless these faithful souls who can truly sing, "I love thy kingdom, Lord." Oh that more of the rich people might realize that what they have belongs to God, and that a large amount of it ought to be given to His service.

There have been churches, though we are glad to believe that there are not many, that have not paid the presiding elder any thing until the close of the year. Sometimes not any thing is paid on the bishop's claim. 'We suggest that the pastor urge the prompt payment of the presiding elder's claim every quarter and the full payment of the bishop's.

We suggest that the presiding elder urge the finance committee to make a persistent effort to pay the pastor once a month. Why should he not have his pay regularly as well as the others?

In the last report on this subject we find the following: "The last Conference Minutes gives a deficiency from ten churches amounting to \$566 in all." We think it very encouraging to find only two deficiencies reported in the last Minutes, one on Concord district of \$65 and one on Manchester district, and none on Dover district.

We hope the time will come when it will be an unusual thing to have any deficiency reported.

HERBERT F. QUIMBY, Chairman.

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS AND TRACTS

"And he took a child and set him in the midst." Frances Willard once said "The world is just beginning to learn the meaning of the 'child in the midst."

The church has no more important interest than the Sunday-school. This is being recognized more and more. It is estimated that 83 per cent. of the membership of the Christian church, and 95 per cent. of its active workers come from the Sunday-school. The church laments that the revival fires of former days have grown cold, and that sinners do not come to her altars as of yore. We do not believe that the Methodist church has ceased to be a revival church, but we do believe that the most hopeful ground for such work is the Sunday-school.

The highest interests of the church demand that the Sundayschool be brought to the highest possible degree of efficiency. That it be made a training school, not for children only but for students of all ages and grades. The times demand the use of the best and most modern methods. We recommend that schools be graded whenever practicable and that a regular system of examinations and promotions be adopted.

We would urge our Sunday-schools to be loyal to the publications of our church, not only because they are our own publications, but because we believe them to be better than any other publications.

We recommend the observance of "Rally Day" and would call attention to the offer of the Sunday-School Union to furnish programs without cost to all Sunday-schools that will agree to take a collection for the cause on that day.

We are glad to note an increase of 302 in the Home department. This department is reaching many who probably would not be reached otherwise. More should be made of it than is being made.

The "Cradle Roll" is reaching the hearts of the parents through the children and is doing much good. We urge its adoption by all our schools.

We recommend the observance of "Decision Day."

We recommend our pastors to take advantage of the offer of the Tract Society to donate tracts to the value of one half of the previous year's contribution to this cause and to make a more liberal use of these publications.

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. EATON, Chairman.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE

The Sabbath was instituted by God. He blessed and hallowed it. He commanded men "to keep it holy." He repeatedly pressed upon them the imperative necessity of its proper observance. And never has the commandment been repealed. It is to be forever binding upon all the sons of men.

Sabbath observance has been of incalculable benefit to the world. It has ever been attended with marked improvement in social conditions. Breadth of education, keenness of intelligence, depth of sympathy, and true moral and spiritual worth have been most in evidence where this day has been best observed. But where the day has been disregarded the physical, intellectual, and spiritual interests of men have suffered.

The Sabbath is being threatened. Many steam and electric railways plan Sunday excursions as often as possible; the Sunday newspapers are brought to the breakfast table of all who will buy; and the so-called sacred concerts, the many games and sports,

together with the open saloon, seek to make the Sabbath no longer a holy day but a holiday. Some forget that when they strike at the religious character of the day they threaten the rest day itself. They suppose that they can legalize Sunday hunting, fishing, golf, baseball, expositions, theatres, circuses, dances and saloons and still have their rest day. But they deceive themselves, for that cannot be. When the Sabbath goes the rest day goes with it. The lovers of their country, the friends of the poor and oppressed, the followers of Jesus Chri-t with all who worship God must see to it that the Sabbath is preserved.

We rejoice in the measure of success which the laboring men have already won in their efforts to secure relief from unnecessary toil on the Sabbath and we gladly bid them Godspeed in their further endeavors in the same direction. We heartily commend the good work of The New England Sabbath Protective League and willingly offer such assistance as we can render. We endorse every wise effort to protect the rest day by legislative enactment. And we earnestly call upon all our pastors and people to unite against every form of Sabbath desecration.

JOSEPH SIMPSON, Chairman.

PARSONAGES AND PARSONAGE FURNISHINGS

The large majority of our charges provide comfortable homes for our preachers. According to the Minutes ninety-six charges own a house for the preacher and twenty-six do not, but in most cases where a house is not owned, the same house is hired from year to year.

Our people are coming to recognize the fact that at least all heavy furniture should be provided, where this is not the case. It is a great inconvenience and expense to our pre-chers, and this matter should receive the careful attention of the people.

It should be the duty of the committee on parsonages and parsonage furnishings to see that the property in hand be cared for by guarding against loss by fire, by maintaining a sufficient insurance on the parsonage and the furnishings, and by attending promptly to all necessary repairs. It is economy to keep property in good repair and in the end costs far less than to allow such repairs to go until there is so much needed that it is discouraging to the committee and a great annoyance to the preacher.

We therefore recommend to committees on parsonages and parsonage furnishings that an investigation of the parsonage property be made every year and all necessary changes and repairs be made.

R. T. WOLCOTT, Chairman.

CONFERENCE HISTORY

As the years pass the story of the labors and triumphs of the fathers grows more and more in interest and in value. The number of persons who are interested in the history of the church and people of God is constantly on the increase. An excellent outline history of the Arlington Street Church, Nashua, has recently been published in booklet form. We still need historical outlines from Grange, Lisbon, Manchester, Trinity, and Massabesic, Munroe and North Munroe, Newmarket, Rumney and West Canaan. Bristol Methodist Episcopal Church has just celebrated its centennial with appropriate and interesting services and the citizens have authorized Bro. R. W. Musgrove, one of our leading laymen, to publish a town history in two volumes.

Now in the opening years of this new century would seem to be an opportune time to publish a history of our Conference, its churches, schools and work. To this end definite encouragement should be given. A volume of 600 pages might be published at an early date, at an estimated cost of \$2.00 net per copy. It might be well to organize a Conference Historical Society. We recommend that Dr. D. C. Knowles, Secretary S. E. Quimby and the historian be a committee to consider the advisability of such action, and report at the next Conference session. Interested persons are requested to send useful information and advanced orders for copies of history to George H. Hardy, Ashburnham, Mass., Conference Historian.

G. H. HARDY.

BOOK CONCERN

It is gratifying to know that the business of both branches of the Book Concern has been a little larger this year than last, with correspondingly larger profits. These great publishing houses are conducted in a conservative and economical manner. The primary business of these houses is not the making of money, but it is rather the great work of advancing the gospel of Christ by the use of the press. Yet there is a margin of profit which is sacredly used for the support of the superannuated ministers and their families.

The Sunday-school helps published by our Book Concern are superior to those issued by any other competing establishments in this country, and we believe it to be the duty of every pastor to use his influence to have our own denominational literature only used in our Methodist Sunday-schools. The editors of these lesson helps are men of broad scholarship, sound in their theology, of fervent piety and have at their command the very best possible works for research. Many ministers and Sunday-school teachers

of other denominations are subscribers to our Sunday-School Journal and Bible Students Magazine, which indicates the estimation in which it is held by them. At the Depository, 36 Bromfield St., Boston, of which Mr. Charles R. Magee is agent, any book published may be obtained at as reasonable a price, quality considered. as it may be had elsewhere.

We acknowledge with grateful appreciation the receipt of \$375 from the Book Concern toward the Conference Claimants' fund for the present year.

C. W. DOCKRILL, Chairman.

BIBLE CAUSE

The Christian church must be regarded as the responsible custodian of the Holy Scriptures. The Scriptures are held by the church, not only as the very charter of her own existence, but also as treasure held in trust for the world. Through preaching the Gospel in Christian lands, through her missionaries in pagan lands and through those agencies by which the Scriptures are · translated, published and circulated in all lands the church seeks to administer her trust. Moreover in the great Bible societies of the world, as the American Bible Society, the British and Foreign Bible Society, the National Bible Society of Scotland, and the Prussian Bible Society of Berlin, Germany, the unity of the "Holy Catholic" church in faith and love for the sacred Scriptures is manifested with unmistakable clearness. And in a matter so essential in the life of the church we believe it to be better that all unite to circulate the Scriptures without note or comment and to maintain a high standard in text and translation than to leave the work of issuing and circulating the sacred Word to denominational of commercial interest.

The organization of Bible societies was not in the first case a missionary movement but to supply Bibles to the people of the immediate community. But the Holy Spirit ever leads the Christian out and beyond his own doors and so it has come to pass that the Bible societies have become mighty and indispensible agencies in foreign missionary work. At the beginning of the nineteenth century the Bible had been translated into about forty different languages and of these but thirty-five were living spoken tongues representing one fifth the human race. At the opening of the twentieth century the Bible, in whole or in part, has been translated and published in four hundred languages and thus may reach seven tenths of our fellowmen. But in order to reach men these published Scriptures must be circulated. In the words of Mr. Slowan of the National Bible Society of Scotland, "A Bible

society can no more live by its funds or its issues than a man can live by bread alone. We seek readers rather than buyers; souls rather than sales "The Bible Cause is our cause. To us as members of Christ's church these Bible societies belong. The church must regard and use them as among the most efficient agencies for fulfilling her mission in the world.

A. E. DRAPER, Chairman.

TEMPERANCE

The following paper is abbridged from the report adopted for the general press, in accordance with the wish of the writer who was authorized to prepare it for the Journal as here published.

We are pastors and teachers, and on this as on other questions should be careful what we teach. The temperance movement has been made a necessity by the evils that result from the alcoholic drink traffic and habit.

The founders of modern temperance societies experimented with "moderation" and "regulation" from the close of the Revolutionary War to 1851. Science, reason, experience and the word of God compelled them to accept abstinence and prohibition as the only correct principles on which to base the cause of temperance. In all the half century since 1851 no one has framed a valid argument against either of them.

The Discipline of our church says: I:—"Both science and human experience agree with the Holy Scriptures in condemning all alcoholic drinks as neither useful nor safe." II:—"The business of manufacturing and vending such liquors is against the principles of morality, political economy and the public welfare." III:—"We insist that total abstinence from all intoxicating beverages is the plain duty of every individual and we are unalterably opposed to the enactment of license laws, because such laws are wrong in principle, and ineffectual as a means of restraint. The alcoholic drink traffic can never be legalized without sin."

Thus we see that any person who is against abstinence or prohibition is—wittingly or unwittingly—against the cause of temperance. New Hampshire was under the curse of a law-protected drink traffic from colonial times to 1855. In 1847 the legislature gave the electors an opportunity to vote on this question: "Is it expedient that a law be enacted by the General Court, prohibiting the sale of wine and other spirituous liquors, except for medicinal, chemical and mechanical purposes?" To that question the voters said "Yes" by a majority of 6,455.

The law we now have—with slight changes—was enacted in 1855. It was quite well observed until the war of 1861-5. When

that war cloud lifted we saw that the beer saloon had become an established institution in nearly all the cities and large towns of our state. We asked our executive officers to enforce our laws, but they did not attend to their duty as they should.

From the close of the war until recently, nearly all prosecutions of liquor dealers were effected through private citizens or law and order associations. In several cases officers, who had promised if elected to enforce the law, not only disregarded their promise but their oath of office, and did all they could to shield the law breakers.

It is a serious matter when the executive branch of government overrides both the legislative and judicial branches. The most glaring case of defiance of law by officials was in Manchester, where the police power protected about sixty unlawful liquor dealers for five or six years.

In December, last, mainly through the influence of that Christian patriot, ex-Governor D. H. Goodell, and the righteous conduct of Judge R. J. Peaslee, that system of protecting criminals has been abolished. We all know the effects of that mandamus. All of our ten county solicitors, all mayors, selectmen, sheriffs, police, and jurymen know their duties and liabilities under our laws.

The lack of court business in Manchester and other places during the first few weeks of this year clearly revealed the effects of law enforcement, and alarmed the liquor men. It is said that they have sought to create business for the courts. We can easily credit that, and we know that they are at work thus early to secure men for the next legislature who will work and vote for license. They can hardly do worse in that direction than they have done for several years. The advocates of license do not want the liquor traffic prohibited. They want it protected by state law.

We all know that, bad as have been the conditions in Manchester, under the system so justly condemned, they would be much worse under any license policy. Mr. Healey could make the liquor dealers obey his mandates, with the prohibitory law as a whip, and has shown that he could make them quit the wicked business. He would have hard work to "control" them with any license law.

Lawrence, Mass., is under such a law as the license men want for New Hampshire. But while Manchester has taken an average of about \$1,000 a year from sixty illegal liquor dealers, Lawrence takes \$2,500 from each of her sixty-two law protected rum sellers. In both cases the liquor dealers must get what they pay for, protection, plus their national taxes, the cost of their liquors, their rent and their living, from their patrons, every one of whom had better pay for the liquor and not drink it, than to drink it if

paid its money cost for doing so. Licensed rum is no better than "free rum," but to legalize that immoral traffic is to teach the youth of our land awful lessons, the fruitage of which we are reaping.

One journal says: "The situation under the law of absolute prohibition is as disgraceful as it is demoralizing." And, "It is demoralizing to have a law on our statute books that is not obeyed." So say we all. But while the friends of good government are demanding the faithful and impartial execution of a law that the people have kept on the statute books since 1855, in spite of tremendous efforts for its repeal, that journal has done all it could to manufacture sentiment against it, and has announced its purpose to continue that sort of work through the battle that is now raging. Be not deceived. Improved conditions are not the objective aim of the advocates of local option. They are after a state law to protect the alcoholic drink traffic and are more than usually in earnest this year, not "because prohibition does not prohibit," but because it is so evident that it does wherever officials are not the tools of the rum power.

With a view to show the situation in New Hampshire, Maine, and Vermont, we are told that there are 2,995 persons in those three states who paid U. S. revenue taxes last year as retail liquor dealers. That is true. But it is also true that Connecticut, with 541,340 less people than these three prohibition states, and with just such a law as that journal advocates, had 337 more liquor dealers. It is also true that the payment of a liquor dealer's tax, while it is evidence that the holder is a liquor dealer, gives no clue to the quantity of liquor sold.

We concede and would emphasize the fact that it is "demoralizing" to have our prohibitory laws so largely disregarded as they are. But how about disregarding license laws? Is that all right? We challenge any one to name a licensed liquor dealer who obeys the law by which he is protected in his business. On the 12th of February Judge Stone of Lawrence, scored the authorities of that city for their failure to make liquor dealers obey the law. He said, "In the fifteen years I have been here there has not been so much illegal liquor selling as I believe there is at the present time. There is no attempt whatever by the authorities to stop it. I am powerless in my position."

We are asked. "Why not have prohibition where the people want it and if in other places the people do not want prohibition, why not leave the question with them to decide openly and legally?" The reasons against such a course are many and cogent. We need cite only a few of them. First:—No legislature has a right to legalize a moral evil. Second:—It is not a good

reason for a license policy in New Hampshire that most of the states are under it. God says, "Thou shalt not follow a multitude to do evil." Third:—We now have what is vastly better than any form of license. Local option is class legislation. Any policy that imperils the welfare of the whole should never be left to the decision of a section of the state. Fourth:-The unite of legislative authority under our national government is the state, not the city or town. No state should relegate criminal legislation to cities or towns. Fifth: -License advocates never ask for local option in states where there is a state wide license law. They always oppose it as they are doing in New Jersey this year. Sixth: - Under such a law most of our cities and some of our large towns might be induced to go for license through the "generosity" of wholesale liquor dealers and manufacturers of Manchester. Portsmouth and Boston, who want an open market for their "goods." With those places under license what sort of a prospect would there be to "have prohibition where the people want it"?

We have failed to see as yet a single good reason why the prohibitory statutes should be repealed. We want them faithfully and impartially executed, and we believe that to be the desire of a large majority of the voters in New Hampshire. We are therefore

Resolved, That we will not support any man for any office that involves this issue, whose life and record does not give assurance that he will defend our prohibitory laws.

Resolved, That we extend our sincere thanks to ex-Governor Goodell and Judge Peaslee, the Anti-Saloon League, the W. C. T. U., the Good Templars and all who have helped to promote improved conditions.

Resolved, That we are specially grateful to all upright executive officers, and exhort all from the Governor down, to do their duty under our laws in accordance with their oath of office. We call their attention to frequent violations of law by managers of County Fairs in selling privileges to caterers, and trust they will not wink at illegal conduct.

Resolved, We urge our own church members to be careful to set a good example to the young by abstaining from the use of tobacco in all its forms.

Resolved, That we hereby endorse the International S. S. Lesson System and earnestly petition the International S. S. Convention to make no change which will eliminate the Quarterly Temperance Lesson from the Series.

Resolved, That we heartily approve the recommendation of Bishop Mallalieu, "for the Christian celebration of the Fourth of July in the interests of The Temperance Reform." Resolved, That we commend the Rev. J. H. Robbins, the superintendent of the New Hampshire Anti-Saloon League, to our own and other churches, and societies, and to all the people of New Hampshire, as an able, wise and safe leader in the delicate work entrusted to him.

D. C. BABCOCK.

D. C. BABCOCK, D. C. KNOWLES, M. C. PENDEXTER.

CHURCH INSURANCE

Every church and parsonage should be insured. Neglect may mean serious financial loss, and loss of confidence in the community. Our own Insurance company, established by and under the supervision of the General Conference, should have the preference over all other organizations because its terms are more favorable than those of the old companies, and also because it is protecting thousands of our churches that cannot otherwise be insured. Every policy taken out elsewhere interferes therefore with the best results possible with our system, and has a tendency to place the rates outside the reach of some struggling churches.

The business has reached gratifying proportions. Total policies in force now are 12,000 protecting our property to the extent of over fifteen millions of dollars. Approximately 6,000 churches insured for five million dollars are dependent upon our company. We are informed that there has never been a day's delay in the payment of any loss; that besides making terms that are easier than the old line companies dividends have been returned to the policy holders more than twice as large as those averaged by all the stock companies of the United States for the past twenty years.

This has become one of the great connectional interests of Methodism, and should have the active support of every pastor and trustee.

G. J. JUDKINS, Chairman.

TREATMENT OF CHAPLAINS OF THE UNITED STATES NAVY

Your committee having considered the plea presented, in view of the facts given, report favorably, and recommend the adoption of the following resolution, and a copy signed by the secretary of the Conference be sent to Senator Eugene Hale, chairman of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, and a copy to Hon. George E. Foss, chairman of the House Committee on Naval Affairs:

Resolved, That we respectfully memorialize Congress to enact, at this session, such legislation as will put the chaplains of the United States Navy, in the matter of their pay and their general treatment, on an equal footing with the other officers of the same rank in the service.

D. J. SMITH, Chairman.

MISSIONS

Amount of money at the dispos	
J. H. Hillman's gift	6 00
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Given to:	
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Concord District	38 00
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Manchester District	38 00
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W. Campton and Ellsworth 24 oo	Gilford20 00
Haverhill36 oo	Landaff and Lyman40 00
Rumney40 00	South Columbia28 00
Stark24 00	Weirs 50 00
West Milan50 00	Lakeport24 00
Swiftwater and Benton28 oo	\$436 00
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Arlington St60 00	Milford80 00
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Hinsdale16 oo	Munsonville20 00
Peterboro	Wilmot and W. Andover10 00
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I concur in the above,	

EARL CRANSTON.

Memoirs

Rev. George Nelson Bryant, son of Asa and Mehitable Bryant, was born in New Boston, N. H., May 21, 1824, and died in Newbury, Vt., May 9, 1901.

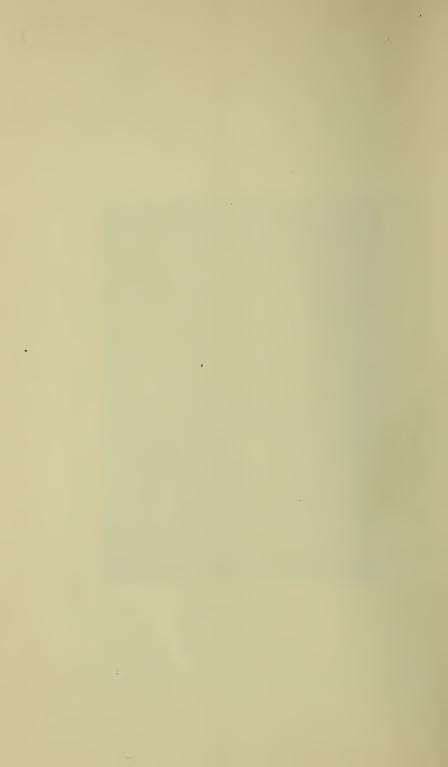
His mother was an earnest and devout Methodist and he was consecrated to God in infancy by baptism. He was converted when seventeen years of age in a revival at Waterville, N. H., whither his parents had removed several years before. He had been for some time under powerful conviction, but had hesitated because he felt that if he should become a Christian he must erect a family altar; but when at a meeting in a private house his unconverted father arose and declared his purpose to become a Christian and to commence family prayers, the last obstacle was removed.

He was received into the church in December, 1842, in Thornton by Rev. H. H. Hartwell. He early felt that God called him to become a preacher and he entered Newbury, Vt., seminary as a student with that object in view. After a time he abandoned his purpose and went to Warren, N. H., and learned the wheelright trade of James M. Hartwell. He then went to Lowell, Mass., to work, where he suffered a severe sickness from the effects of which he never fully recovered. In 1848 he commenced working again at his trade at North Haverhill. Soon afterwards Rev. Kimball Hadley was appointed to the Haverhill circuit. The first time that he met Mr. Bryant, with keen spiritual discernment he said to him: "Young man, did not you ever feel that you ought to preach?" He thrust an exhorter's license upon him, and sent him out to hold meetings. He was successful, and under this encouragement he returned to Newbury Seminary.

Brother Bryant was licensed to preach by the Haverhill Circuit quarterly conference in October, 1848. He was received as a probationer into the New Hampshire Conference at Lancaster, in May, 1849. He was received in full in 1851 at Bristol, and ordained deacon by Bishop Waugh, and was ordained elder at Newport, in 1853, by Bishop Janes. His appointments were as follows: Stark and Milan, Monroe, Unity and Acworth, Gilmanton, Tuftonboro and Wolfeboro, Marlow, Littleton, Lisbon, Lancaster, Bristol, Hinsdale, Lebanon, Canaan Street, Newfields, Greenland, Center Sandwich, East Canaan, Hillsboro Bridge, Haverhill and Piermont, North Charlestown and West Unity, Moultonboro. In 1887, after



REV. GEO. N. BRYANT.



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thirty-nine years of continuous service, he was granted a supernumerary relation. He rested one year and then supplied at Brookline for three years. He removed to Newbury, Vt., in 1891. In 1893 he was placed among the superannuates at his own request.

Brother Bryant was one of our best men. As a preacher he was clear, instructive, and stimulating to the religious life of his hearers. His sermons abounded in citations from Scripture, and were often adorned by apt poetical quotations. He was an untiring worker and attended faithfully to all the duties of a pastor, bringing a blessing into the homes of the people, comforting the sick, caring for the most distant portions of his fields, and holding neighborhood meetings. Accurate reports were promptly ready for the Annual Conference, with "collections all taken." The church records were carefully and correctly kept, and his successor always found an excellent visiting list and church directory. There was a good religious interest in nearly all of his charges. He built upon a solid foundation and on permanent lines. "Hay, wood and stubble" were not gathered into the churches under his ministry. Gracious revivals were enjoyed at Littleton, Lisbon, Lancaster, Lebanon, and other places. At the Conference in 1877 the brethren on Claremont district requested that he be appointed presiding elder, but in the adjustment of the work it was found impracticable. Although his educational advantages had been limited, he maintained a studious habit, and was scholarly in his attainments. He read the New Testament in the original tongue and acquired the German language after he entered the pastoral work. He was acquainted with general literature and was of excellent poetic taste and practice. One of his poems was sung at his funeral by a former pastor. He was conservative in theological belief and firmly adhered to the time-honored standards of the church. He hated cant and despised hypocracy; he keenly perceived inconsistency in Christian character and life, and was not afraid sharply to rebuke sin whenever manifested. He was no timeserver, and always regarded the interests of truth and righteousness rather than personal popularity. The people of Newbury held him in high esteem and considered his ten years' residence with them a constant benediction. He was a faithful attendant and more than acceptable participant in the public and social meetings of the church until within a few weeks of his death.

May 16, 1851, he was married to Miss Ann Maria George, of Newbury, who has been his faithful helpmate and constant companion for half a century. At the time he was stricken she was in the hospital at Burlington undergoing a critical surgical operation upon her eyes, and was unable to reach him until after he had lost consciousness. But the memory of those fifty years of wedded

bliss are more precious than any parting words could possibly have been. He is also survived by a son, Arthur P., who is the chemist of the Storrs Agricultural Experiment Station, and resides at Middletown, Conn.

On the occasion of his funeral, Rev. Mr. Merrill, the pastor of the Congregational church, said, "He was a man of God, acquainted with our Father in heaven, and lived in communion with the Saviour. He was a walking sermon seven days in the week and a great blessing to us all." Rev. F. D. Handy, who was his pastor during the last year of his life, also testified: "My faith in God has been greatly strengthened as I have seen the power of the Christian religion as manifested in the life and experience of this brother. I have been thrilled by the wonderful uplifts that came to him in prayer. I knew him only after his mind began to fail, but while heart and flesh were failing his soul cried out to the living God. He would seem at first groping for words, until presently the H ly Spirit would help his infirmities, and he would pour out his soul in prayer, worship and thanksgiving with abundance of Scripture and hymn, and, lost in rapturous adoration, he would linger, loth to leave the throne of grace. I shall be a better man for having known George N. Bryant."

The funeral services were conducted at the village church by the pastor, assisted by the writer and other clerical brethren, and the remains were deposited in the family lot in the cemetery. May the mantle of the departed father rest upon the younger members of the Conference!

S. E. QUIMBY.

HARRIET N. ANDREWS

Mrs. Harriet N. Audrews was born in Wendell, now Sunapee, New Hampshire, Aug. 18, 1823. She was the daughter of David and Susan Eaton. She joined the Methodist church in Nashua, N. H., May 6th, 1848, under the pastorate of Brother Holman Drew.

In 1851 she was married to Rev. Thomas J. Andrews, who soon after became a member of the New Hampshire Conference. Her husband was a young man of deep piety and gave promise of great usefulness in the ministry. In 1854, Canaan, N. H., where he was pastor, he was suddenly killed, being kicked by a horse he was trying to catch. In less than three short years after their marriage she was left a widow to mourn the loss of a kind and devoted husband.

Her trials were not a few. Two of her brothers were killed instantly and for eight years she has been a sufferer, and quite lame, the effects of a fall. She was a woman of more than ordinary gifts, and thoroughly fitted for a pastor's wife. For many years

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she went about doing good. One of her nephews in speaking of her, said, "Aunt Harriet was a good Samaritan, always fitting in where she was needed most and where she could do the most good." This is a high tribute to the life of a good woman. For some time she had been unable to attend the services, yet she did not lose her hold on God nor her interest in the church.

She died in Nashua, December 24, 1901, and has gone to her reward and to meet loved ones gone before in that land where sorrow and parting are never known.

ELWIN HITCHCOCK.

HARRIET (AYER) HOLMAN

After sixty-seven years and more of the battle of life, Sister Harriet Ayer Holman has departed to be with Christ. She was born in Concord, N. H., December 14th, 1834, the daughter of John Tay and Harriet (Fox) Aver, was early in life born again and April, 1868, was married to Rev. Sullivan Holman, one of the stalwart leaders of our Conference. On the thirty-fourth anniversary of their marriage, April 15, 1898, Brother Holman left the wife . beloved as he responded to the call of the Master, "Come up higher." What this separation meant to Sister Holman only they can know, who listen to-day but in vain, for the voices of the loved ones, which shall be heard no more. Yet she was not crushed under the burden, nor did she sorrow as they grieve who are without hope. The risen Christ was with her to comfort and for long years her hand had been clasped in his. Seeking to bury her sorrow in consecration to the Master and His service, her life was full of tenderness, of Christian sympathy and love. In the Main Street Church, her home church in Nashua, and also in the new movement on Crown Hill she had the greatest interest. In the latter church she recently inserted a large memorial window for her beloved husband who preceded her but a few years to the better country. In deeds of charity and quiet benevolence she proved herself a Ruth, a Mary, and a Dorcas, and when her last and fatal illness confined her to her home the scores who came to minister to her needs attested the helpfulness of her life. For nearly five months she waited in patience, despite her pain, for her release. The writer was often in her home, and but a short time before her death she joined with him as they sang

There's a land that is fairer than day,
And by faith we can see it afar,
For the Father waits over the way,
To prepare us a dwelling place there."

With faith unshaken, with courage undaunted, with spiritual vision undimmed, she only waited "'till the shadows were a little

longer grown " and then entered in with her guide to the city which lieth four square.

At noon, amid the flowers, fragrance and sunshine of our last Easter sabbath, March 30, 1902, Sister Holman passed from unconsciousness, caused by the ravages of disease in the weary pain-racked body, to the glory land toward which for a long lifetime her footsteps had been tending; that blessed home land where sickness, and sin, sorrow, and distress never more are known. On Tuesday following Brother Elwin Hitchcock had charge of the services of prayer at the house assisted by the writer.

We revere her memory, praying God that her life may inspire all who know her to be like minded in deep devotion, unselfish service, and unwavering trust.

CHARLES C. GARLAND.

Widows of Deceased Members

Mrs. Freeman Ryder	Middleboro, Mass.
Mrs. L. D. Barrows	
Mrs. D. McIndoe	
Mrs. L. E. Gordon	Montpelier, Vt.
Mrs. Elisha Adams	· Concord.
Mrs. C. B. M. Woodward	Malden, Mass.
Mrs. A. K. Howard	Auburndale, Mass
Mrs. A. B. Carter	·· Melrose, Mass.
Mrs. C. S. Harrington	··Orono, Me.
Mrs. William Hewes	Lawrence, Mass.
Mrs. Lewis Howard	West Springfield.
Mrs. O. H. Jasper	Tilton.
Mrs. James Pike	
Mrs. J. T. Davis	Franklin.
Mrs. W. E. Bennett	
Mrs. O. S. Danforth	Brockton, Mass.
Mrs. J. Mowry Bean	·· Concord.
Mrs. L. L. Eastman	
Mrs. Truman Carter	Ipswich, Mass.
Mrs. James Thurston	Dover.
Mrs. P. M. Frost	
Mrs. J. H. Brown	Lancaster.
Mrs. T. A. Dorion	Franklin Falls.
Mrs. A. C. Coult	Manchester.
Mrs. G. N. Bryant	Newbury, Vt.

Appointments

NOTE.—The figure at the right indicates the number of years appointed to the charge.

CONCORD DISTRICT

O. S. BAKETEL, Presiding Elder. P. O., Manchester. 6 Alexandria..... Supplied by A. H. Reed 2 Ashland and Holderness.....A. E. Draper I Bethlehem William Ramsden 2 Bow Mills and Bow..... Supplied by Francis Hooper Bristol......L. D. Bragg Chichester and Loudon Supplied by W. B. Patterson Colebrook...... W. F. Ineson 3 Concord, Baker MemorialE. C. Strout 2 First Church......Joseph Simpson E. Colebrook and E. Columbia...Supplied by A. P. Reynolds East Haverhill Supplied by G. M. Newhall East Sandwich..... Supplied by R. E. Thompson East Tilton......To be supplied Franklin Falls.....E. C. E. Dorion GilfordJ. H. Vincent I Gilmanton Supplied by A. Linfield I Jefferson..... E. C. Clough Laconia, First Church. C. D. Hills 2
Trinity. C. L. Corliss 2 Lancaster and Grange.....J. L. Felt 4
Lisbon....W. C. Bartlett Landaff and Lyman.....Willis Holmes 4 Littleton......T. E. Cramer 3 Milan and Dummer......Supplied by N. L. Porter 1
Moultonboro......J. E. Sweet 4 Monroe and North Monroe.....G. B. Goodrich North Haverhill..... 4 Penacook A. L. Smith Piermont Supplied by W. S. Emery 2 Pittsburgh and Beecher Falls. Wm, Magwood 3
Plymouth. R. T. Wolcott 1
Rumney. A. M. Shattuck 2
South Columbia Supplied by E. J. Canfield
South Tamworth. Supplied by W. S. Frye 3
Stark Supplied by W. P. White Stratford..... Supplied by Henry Candler I

SuncookR. Sanderson 1
Swiftwater and BentonW. A. Hudson 2
TiltonWm. Warren 3
Warren H. E. Allen 2
WeirsG. W. Jones 1
West Campton and Ellsworth Supplied by A. H. Drury I
West Milan Supplied by Geo. Hudson I
West ThorntonA. W. Frye I
Whitefield E. E. Reynolds 3
Woodsville W. A. Loyne 3

- D. C. Knowles, Ladd Professor in New Hampshire Conference Seminary, member of Tilton quarterly conference.
- E. R. Wilkins, Chaplain N. H. State Prison, member of Baker Memorial quarterly conference.

DOVER DISTRICT

J. E. ROBINS, Presiding Elder. P. O., Dover. 6

Amesbury, MassM. C. Pendexter 1
Auburn and ChesterF. H. Corson I
DanvilleSupplied by R. S. Kinney' I
Dover, St. John's E. S. Tasker 3
French CircuitSupplied by W. H. Leith 2
East Kingston Supplied by John Cairns 2
East Rochester M. T. Cilley 2
Epping E. N. Jarrett 2
ExeterWm. Woods 6
Greenland E. R. Perkins 1
HamptonJ. N. Bradford 5
Haverhill, Mass., Grace Church .H. D. Deetz 1
First Church I. R. Danforth 4
Third ChurchJ. T. Hooper 3 KingstonA. B. Rowell 1
Kingston
Garden St., Jas. Cairns 3
St. Mark'sJ. G. Cairns 1
St. Paul'sW. S. Searle 2
Merrimacport, Mass
Methuen, Mass W. T. Boultenhouse 3
Milton MillsS. E. Quimby I
Moultonville and TuftonboroC. M. Tibbetts I
NewfieldsW. B. Locke 4
Newmarket
No. Wakefield and E. Wolfeboro Dana Cotton 2
PortsmouthThomas Whiteside 3
Raymond and East CandiaW. J. Wilkins 3
RochesterG. W. Farmer 4
Salisbury, MassG. A. McLucas 2
Sanbornville and BrookfieldG. L. Lowell I Smithtown B. P. Wilkins 2
SomersworthW. H. Hutchin
West Hampstead, East Hamp-
stead and SandownG. A. McLaughlin
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MANCHESTER DISTRICT

G. M. Curl, Presiding Elder. P. O., Concord 3

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Antrim ..... J. E. Montgomery I
Brookline ..... Supplied by A. G. Covell
Canaan Street and Canaan ......A. M. Markey
Chesterfield ...... Noble Fisk 2
Claremont ..... C. C. Garland
Contoocook and Webster ..... Supplied by Mark Tisdale
Derry, First Church.....J. W. Adams 5
East Deering......C J. Fowler 1
East Lempster and So. Acworth. Supplied by W. F. Felch
Enfield and West Canaan ...... H. J. Foote
Fitzwilliam Depot and Richmond Supplied by K. K. Clark
Grantham and West Springfield. Supplied by C. T. Matthews
Grasmere and Goffstown ..... J. H. Trow I
Henniker..... D. E. Burns
Hillsboro Bridge and Centre.....I. C. Brown
Hinsdale ..... Supplied by E. J. Deane 4
Hudson .... W. J. Atkinson
Keene ..... J. M. Durrell 2
Londonderry.....J. P. Frye
Manchester, First Church and
   St. James's.....J. Roy Dinsmore
           St. Jean's .... E. J. Palisoul 3
          St. Paul's ..... S. McLaughlin
          Trinity...... C. N. Tilton 4
Marlboro and West Swanzey .... C. Byrne 2
Marlow.....F. O. Tyler
Milford and Amherst.....I. B. Miller
Munsonville...... To be supplied
Nashua, Arlington St... C. H. Walters

Main St... E. Hitchcock 2

Newport Wm. Thompson
No. Charlestown and West Unity Guy Roberts 2
Salem, First Church and Ayer's..
      Village ..... E. S. Coller I Pleasant St.... F. K. Gamble I
Sunapee and South Newbury .... G. N. Dorr I
West Derry D. C. Babcock
West Rindge D. J. Smith 4
Wilmot and West Andover To be supplied
Winchester and Westport .... W. M. Cleaveland
  G. H. Hardy, Conference Historian,
                                 member of Brookline
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- G. H. Hardy, Conference Historian, member of Brookline quarterly conference.
- G. W Buzzell, superintendent of Nashua Industrial Home and Evangelistic Institution.
 - C. W. Martin, left without appointment to attend school.

STATISTICAL REPORTS

		EMBER- SHIP.	BAP-	TISMS	5	SUND		CHURCH PROPERTY.						
NAMES OF CHARGES.	Probationers.	Full Members. Local Preachers. Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers & Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.
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NAMES OF CHARGES.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Grades.	Average Attendance.	No. of Members in the Home Department.	Officers and Teachers who are Ch, Mem. or Probationers.	Scholars, whether Attendants or Members in Home Dep't, who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year.	Current Expenses.
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NAMES OF CHARGES.	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers,	Deaths.	Children. Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Churches,	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Im- provements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.
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1 Amesbury, Mass. 2 Auburn. 3 Chester. 4 Danville. 5 Dover. St. John. 6 East Candia. 7 East Kingston. 8 East Rochester. 9 East Wolfeboro'. 10 Epping and Fremont. 11 Exeter. 12 Greenland. 13 Hampton. 14 Haverhill, Mass., 1st Ch. 16 "Grace Ch. 16 "Grace Ch. 17 Kingston, 18 Lawrence, Mass., 1st Ch. 19 "Garden St. 20 "St. Mark's. 21 "St. Mark's. 22 Merrimacport, Mass. 23 Methuen. Mass. 24 Milton Mills. 25 Moultonville. 26 Newmarket. 27 Newfields. 28 No. Wakefield. 29 Portsmouth. 30 Raymond. 31 Rochester. 32 Sanbornville&Brookfield. 34 Sandown. 35 Somersworth. 35 Somersworth. 37 Tuftonboro'. 38 W. & E. Hampstead.		32 12 8 6 16 17 12 13 7 7 12 12 13 7 7 12 12 13 7 7 12 12 13 15 10 6 6 30 11 20 23 20 6 9 9 20 3 10	210 35 45 45 209 50 48 1200 57 175 54 165 224 220 220 317 197 280 82 2175 54 40 102 60 60 40 40 145 80 40 145 80 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40 40	120 25 36 36 213 8 8 31 115 39 40 85 147 144 46 90 487 139 200 42 140 151 151 167 167 168 177 168 168 177 168 177 178 178 178 178 178 178 17	20 6 30 27 15 10 36 31 20	31 7 8 37 4 16 3 12 21 12 27 36 30 14 20 27 23 4 10 29 11 8 9 9 5 5 6 8 8 8 8 9 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	30	14 9 1 25 4 4 18 27 1 1 6 6 2 1	111 12 28 81 11 44 42 22 100 17 7 11 10 17 26 62 11 11 10 10 10 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11

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	2 E. S. Coller. 3 H. J. Foote. 4 W. T. Carter. 5 W. T. Carter. 5 W. T. Carter. 6 Noble Fiske. 7 R. Sanderson. 8 J. G. Cairns. 9 J. W. Adams. 10 Kimball Clark. 11 W. F. Felch. 12 F. O. Tyler. 13 A. Wadsworth. 14 A. B. Rowell. 15 A. B. Rowell. 16 C. T. Matthews. 17 D. E. Burns. 18 I. C. Brown. 20 E. J. Deane. 21 W. J. Atkins. 22 J. N. Durrell. 23 Edgar Blake. 24 J. P. Frye. 25 C. Byrne. 26 J. E. Montgomery. 27 I. B. Miller. 28 C. H. Farnsworth. 29 W. H. Hutchins. 30 E. J. Palisoul. 31 S. McLaughlin. 32 C. M. Tilton. 33 C. H. Farnsworth. 34 Geo. Hudson. 35 C. C. Garland. 36 Elwin Hitchcock. 37 Wm. Thompson. 38 Guy Roberts. 39 C. A. R. ed. 40 H. B. Copp. 41 E. S. Coller. 42 J. R. Din-more. 43 C. W. Martin. 44 H. C. Sawyer. 45 F. O. Tyler. 46 D. C. Babcock. 47 N. D. Bigelow. 48 D. J. Smith. 49 C. T. Matthews. 50 C. B. Swrne.	100 350 350 300 400 900 900 300 300 300 300 350 350 200 900 500 650 650 650 670 680 804 750 670 750 750 750 750 750 750 750 750 750 7	175 100 75 200 60 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100	100 350 350 400 407 500 4400 4550 400 300 300 200 200 200 1200 575 515 515 515 515 516 600 1700 680 680 680 680 1800 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 1000 875 875 875 875 875 875 875 875 875 875	100 350 300 900 900 255 450 300 350 350 200 210 400 350 500 900 500 650 680 682 500 680 750 600 750 600 750 600 750 750 750 750 750 750 750 750 750 7	1000 755 2000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 1000 10	1000 3550 3600 4004 475 11000 3550 5000 4000 3550 5000 3500 3500 3	45 50	51 11 16 24 20 68 21 10 10 10 10 15 10 11 16 18 30 10 10 16 18 32 22 22 22 16 63 34 20 10 10 64 11 10 10 64 10 10 66 11 10 10 66 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	500 100 166 188 100 100 166 188 100 160 160 160 160 160 160 160 160 160	133 4 6 6 77 177 7 3 3 3 5 5 6 6 3 3 6 6 9 9 3 5 6 6 5 1 5 5 10 6 6 3 3 3 3 5 5 5 3 3 5 5 10 9 13 3 3 2 9 3 3 4 4 3 3 3 3 3 5 5 5 5 6 5 1 5 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	13 	105 362 362 316 424 499 1185 521 413 3688 510 420 511 318 470 511 318 470 620 620 622 627 604 622 627 604 620 621 63 70 71 262 627 62 62 62 62 62 62 62 62 62 62 62 62 62	12 4 2 2 2 8 3 1 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 5 2 3 2 4 6 6 6 1 1 2 0 0 5 2 4 8 0 4 0 3 1 1 5 2 8 1 6 3 5 5 4 1 1 1 5 1 6 3 5 5 4 1 1 1 6 3 5 5 4 1 1 1 6 6 6 7 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	13	
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NAMES OF CHARGES.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all Grades.	Average Attendance.	No. of Members in the Home Department.	Officers and Teachers who are Cu. Mem. or Probationers.	Scholars, whether Attendants or Members in Home Dep't, who are Church Members or Probationers.	No. of Members of Sunday School Converted during the year.	Current Expenses.
2 Ayer's Villagr 3 Brookline 4 Canaan 5 Canaau Street 6 Chesterfield 7 Claremont 8 Contoocook 9 Derry 11 E. Lempster&So. Acworth 12 Enfield 13 Fitzwillium 14 Goffstown 15 Grasmere 16 Grantham 17 Henniker 18 Hillsboro' Bridge 19 Hillsboro' Bridge 11 Hudson 22 Keene 23 Lebanon 4 Londonderry 25 Marlboro' 26 Marlboro' 27 Milford & Amherst 29 "St. Jean's 30 "St. Jean's 31 "St. Paul's 32 "Trinity 33 "Massabesic 44 Munsonville 35 Mashua, Arlington St 36 "Main St	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1	125 43 48 35 24 49 150 65 74 77 78 81 125 26 311 105 26 311 38 386 220 27 154 340	73 25 35 25 35 25 15 26 105 26 28 10 17 25 45	22 26 11 51 4 60	14 4 9 5 3 10 14 5 10 5 9 9 5 12 11 5 13 18 7 12 8 41 19 9 13 41 17 5	19 109 17 6 20 41 31 11 75 25 128 50 55 15 90	1 3 1 3 1 2 3 3 2 2 3 7 2 2 1 9 1 1 3 5 5 5 5 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6	488 200 188 100 1100 1100 125 233 400 110 128
37 Newport. 38 North Charlestown. 39 North Salem. 40 Peterboro'. 41 Salem, First Ch. 42 Salem, Pleasant St. 43 Sunapee and S. Newbury 44 Webster 45 West Canaan. 46 West Derry 47 Westport. 48 West Rindge 49 West Springfield 50 West Swanzey.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	15 9 9 7 10 15 25 6 5 16 10 10 7	140 47 71 50 80 130 222 25 25 137 45 55 55 85	78 30 40 35 50 64 78 10 15 98 31 29 35 50	30 24 34	15 9 8 7 9 15 25 6 5 10 9 6 12	20 28 25 70 145 16 65 20 23	3 4 1 25	37 10 19 21 30 58 51 9 5 78 11 21 720
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SUMMARY, NO. 1
NEW HAMPSHIRE CONFERENCE, FOR 1902

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NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building & Improvements.	Paid on Old In- debtedness.	Present Indebted-
Concord Dover Manchester	268 408	4741	10 16	83 97	77	52 124	61 41 56		4495 5122	38 53	\$ 247900 298000 298700 844600	24 33 —	55450 63600	3594 6157	3502 3105	\$ 22490 14997 8896
Total, 1902 Total, 1901							158 164		13935 14225		839150					
Increase Decrease	87	300	3	 25	98	29	6	13	290		5450		500	19534	2567	

SUMMARY, NO. 2 NEW HAMPSHIRE CONFERENCE, FOR 1902.

				Sun	DAY So	chools.			
NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Grades.	Average Attendance.	No. of Members in the Home Department.	No. of Officers and Teachers who are Church Members or Probationers.	Scholars, whether Attendants or Mem. in Home Dep't, who are Ch. Members or Probationers.	No. of Members of the Sunday School converted during the Year.	Current Expenses.
Concord Dover Manchester	61 41 56	647 646 718	4318 4495 5122	2438 2783 2922	762 232 301	567 579 561	1732 1239 1375	147 121 146	\$1614 1977 2006
Total, 1902 Total, 1901	158 164	2011 2024	13935 14225	8143 8228	1295 993	1707 1801	4346 4312	414 498	5597 6102
Increase Decrease	6	13	290	85	302	94	34	84	505

SUMMARY, NO. 3 NEW HAMPSHIRE CONFERENCE, FOR 1902.

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NAMES	(CLAIM	s.	Ri	ECEIP	TS.		of l	P. E.	Bisi	IOPS.	Pastor Iders	L · 3	EX	Р.
OF DISTRICTS.	Salary.	House Rent	Total.	Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Total support P Presiding El Bishops.	Total Conference Cla	Ch., Sexton, Light, Fuel.	S S. Lesson Leaves, B'ks
Concord Dover Manchester	21845	4977	26822	\$ 25943 21920 24563	4977	\$ 30825 26897 29289		1266	\$ 1468 1266 1310	\$ 364 376 375	\$ 292 326 301	\$ 32585 28489 30±00	519	7345	1966
Total, 1902 Total, 1901.							234 90	4073 3949	4044 3925	1115 1065	919 913			20665 20595	
Increase Decrease	180	70	250	138	156	269	144	124	119	50	6	431	20	70	506

SUMMARY, NO. 4 NEW HAMPSHIRE CONFERENCE, FOR 1902

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NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	Church. SundaySchool Total.		Church Extension S. S. Union.		Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid.	Public Educa- tional Col.	Children's Fund.	Am. Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss. Society.	Woman's H. M. S.	Other Collections.	W. II. M. Sup'l's.	
Concord Dover Manchester	\$ 1432 2110 1488	\$ 571 680 662	\$ 2003 2805 2159	\$ 213 240 184	\$ 70 90 65	\$ 58 47 52	\$ 196 309 220	\$ 46 58 59	\$ 161 123 159	\$ 64 86 97		531	\$ 493 580 665	
Total, 1902 *Total, 1901	5030 5349	1913 1974	7098 7448	637 692	225 197	157 171	725 738	163 174	443 490	247 265		1218 1133		
Increase Decrease	319	66	350	55	28	14	13	11	47	18	170	85	125	622

*General Funds, \$125, 1901. MISSIONS:—Dover Special, \$15; Conference Trustees, \$125; Dover French Mission, \$15.

Thank Offering Contributions

CONCORD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Expense.	Domestic Missions.	Conference Claiments.	Education.	Church Debt.	General Fund.	Deaconess's H spital.	Church Extension.
Alexandvia 2 Ashland 3 Bethlehem. 4 Bow. 5 Bow Mills. 6 Bristol 7 Chichester. 8 Colebrook. 9 Concord, Baker Memoria 10 First Ch. 11 East Colebrook. 12 East Columbia. 13 East Haverhill. 14 East Tilton. 15 Franklin Falls. 16 Gilford. 17 Grange. 18 Groveton 19 Haverhill. 20 Laconia, Trinity. 21 Lancaster. 22 Landaff. 23 Lisbon. 24 Littleton. 25 Moultonboro'. 26 Milan. 27 Monroe. 28 North Monroe. 29 North Haverhill. 30 Penacook 31 Pittsburg. 32 Plymouth. 33 Piermont. 34 Rumney. 35 Stark. 36 South Columbia. 37 South Tamworth. 38 Suncook. 39 Tilten. 40 Warren. 41 West Milan. 42 Weirs.	3 000 600 600 600 600 600 600 600 600 60	\$ 5002 00	\$ 2 08 2 00 3 00 4 00 3 00 608 00 1 50 2 00 1 65	3929 00 200 00	1000 00 31 00 485 00 500 00 32 90 13 85	500 00	2 35 6 00	250 00

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Expense.	Domestic Missions.	Conference Claiments.	Education.	Church Debt.	General Fund.	Deaconess's Hospital	Church Extension.
3 Brookline 4 Canaan Street 5 Canaan 6 Claremont 7 Contoocook 8 East Deering 9 E. Lempster 10 Enfield 11 Fitzwilliam 12 Grantham 13 Gofistown 14 Grasmere 15 Henniker 16 Hillsboro' Bridge 17 Hinsdale 18 Hudson 19 Lebanon 20 Manchester, First Ch 21 "St. James's 22 "St. Paul's 23 "Trinity 24 Marlboro' 25 Munsonville 26 Nashua, Arlington St 27 "Main St 28 Newport 29 North Charlestown 30 North Salem 31 Salem, Pleasant St 32 Sunapee 33 West Derry 34 West Derry		2000 00 		1273 34	\$\\ 600 00 00 \\ 60 00 \\ 800 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 50 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 150 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 100 00 \\ 125 00 \\ 100 \\ 100 00 \\ 100		25 00 18 00	\$

DOVER DISTRICT

A complete tabulated statement can not be made from the data in hand. The assessment from the churches has been raised.

Dr. I. E. Chase has made a gift of \$100,000 to Tilton Seminary. DEBTS PAID: Amesbury, \$1,400; Epping, \$125; Exeter, \$200; Haverhill, First Church, \$400; Haverhill, Grace Church, \$650; Haverhill, Third Church, \$125; Lawrence, First Church, \$1800; Lawrence St. Mark's, \$200; Lawrence, St. Paul's, \$1,000; Milton Mills, \$1,000; Methuen, \$400; Somersworth, \$437.

DEACONESS HOSPITAL: Dover, \$5; East Rochester, \$10; Lawrence, First Church, \$10; Merrimacport, \$35; Methuen, \$7; Rochester, \$5; Sanbornville, \$10.

LEGACIES: Lawrence, Garden Street, \$6,000; Somersworth, \$1,715; Merrimacport, \$1,000; Newfields, \$1,000; Dover, \$300; Kingston, \$200.

PASTORAL RECORD.

MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE.

NOTE.—The appointment last named is the Post-office Address; exceptions in brackets. S'y.—Supernumerary. Sup.—Superannuate;

ADAMS, JOHN WESLEY. Rye, 1858; Derry, 1859-60; So. Newmarket, 1861-2; Sa, lem, North, 1863; Chaplain 2nd N. H. Vols., 1863-5; E. Canaan, 1866-8; Winchester, 1869-71; Great Falls, High St., 1872-4; Tilton, 1875-6; Presiding Elder Concord Dist., 1877-89; Newport, 1881-3; Excter, 1884-6; Keene, 1887-8; S', 1889-99; Greenland, 1891-3; Methuen, Mass., 1894-6; S'y, 1897-1901; Derry, 1898-1902. [Methuen-Mass.] eff. 1902.

ATKINSON, WILLIAM JOHN. Derry, First Church, 1896-7; Merrimacport, Mass. 1898; Lawrence, Mass., 5t. Mark's, 1899; Hudson, 1900-2.

ALLEN, HENRY EMILUS. Milton Mills, 1886; Auburn and Chester, 1887-8; East Haverhill, 1889-90; Goffstown and Goffstown Center, 1891-4; West Derry, 1895-8; Stark and West Milan, 1900; Warren, 1901-2.

BABCOCK, DANIEL C. ARK. Bow, 1861; Fisherville, 1862; Salem, Pleasant St., 1863-4; Gt. Falls, High St., 1865-6; Claremont, 1867; Manchester, St. Paul's, 1868-9; Nashua, Chestnut St., 1870; Cor. Sec. N. H. Temperance Alliance, 1871; Cor. Sec. State Temperance Union, of Penn., 1872-87; Claremont, 1888-9; Lancaster, 1890-2; Whitefield, 1893-5; Sec. N. H. Law and Order League, 1896; Dover, 1897-9; West Derry, 1900-2.

Derry, 1900-2. BAKETEL, OLIVER SHERMAN. Pittsburg Conf: Malvern, 1870; Hammondsville,

BAKETEL, 91. IVER SHERMAN. Pittsburg Conf: Malvern, 1870; Hammondsville, 1871; Bloomfield, 1872-4; California, Pa., 1875, Fayette City, 1876; N. H. Conf.: 80. Newmarket, 1877-78; Manchester, Tabernacle, 1879-80; Methuen, Mass., 1881-3; Greenland, 1884-6; Portsmouth, 1887-90; P. Elder Manchester Dist., 1891-6; P. Elder, Concord District, 1897-1902. [Marchester.]

BARLOTT, WILLIAM CHARLES. Moultouville, 1876-7; East Rochester, 1878-80; Milton Mills, 1881; Salem, 1882-3; Lawrence, Mass., Bodwell, St., 1884-6; Hampton, 1887-9; Penacook, 1890-3; Bethlehem, 1894-5; Whitefield, 1896-9; Sunapee, 1900; Lisbon, 1901-2.

BEAN, JOHN WESLEY. Loudon, 1871-2; E. Tilton, 1873-4; Gilmanton, 1875-6; S'y, 1877-9; Tuftonboro', Wolfeboro' and Brookfield, 1880; Grantham and North Grantham, 1881-2; Chichester, 1883-4; Manchester Center, 1885-7; Henniker, 1888; Marlboro', 1889-90; Hillsboro' Bridge and Center, 1891; Smithtown (Scabrook), 1892-5; Kingston, 1896-7; S'y, 1899-1902. [Salisbury.]

BLAKE, EDGAR. Salem, First Church, 1896-8; Lebanon, 1899-1902.

BOULTENHOUSE, WILLIAM T. Fitzwilliam Depot and Richmond, 1895-7; Warren, 1898-9; Methuen, Mass., 1900-2.

BRADFORD, JOHN N. Alexandria, 1891-3; West and East Hamspetad, 1894; Hampstead, Sandown and Danville, 1895; Auburn and Chester, 1896-7; Hampton, 1898-1902.

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BRAGG, LYMAN DANIEL. New England Conf.: Parkman St., Boston, 1880; Whit-insville, 1881-3; Spencer, 1884; Medford, 1885-7; Woburn, 1888; Beverly, 1889-90; Prof., Rust University, 1890-92; New Hampshire Conf.: St. James, Manchester, 1892-5. Amesbury, Mass., 1896-5; Lisbon, 1899-1900; Bristol, 1901-2. PROWN, 1RVING CHARLES. Swiftwater and Benton, 1893-4; Grovcton and Strat ford, 1895-6; Monroe and N. Monroe, 1897-1900; Hillsboro Bridze and Center,

1901-2,

BUZZELL, GEORGE WESLEY. Tuftonboro', 1887-9; No. Salem, 1880-1; Seabrook, 1882; Chichester, 1885-6; W. Thornton, 1887; Haverhill, 1888-90; Marlboro', 1891-5; Hudson, 1896-7; Sy, 1898-1901. Superintendent Industrial and Evangelistic Institution, Nashna, 1902.

BYRNE, CLAUDIUS. Swiftwater and Benton, 1880-1; Moultonboro', 1882-4; Colebrook, 1885-7; Manchester, First Church, 1888-91; Manchester, First Church and Massabesic, 1892; Franklin Falls, 1893-5; St. Paul's, Lawrence, Mass., 1896-7; Manchester, St. James, 1898-1900; Marlboro and West Swanzey, 1901.

Whitcfield, 1882-4; Suncook, 1875-6; Gilmanton, 1877-9; North Haverhill, 1880-1; Whitcfield, 1882-4; Suncook, 1885-7; Woodsville, 1888; Amesbury, Mass., 1899-92. Keene and West Swanzey, 1893-5; Claremont, 1896-9; Lawrence, Mass., Garden St. 1900-2.

1900-2.

CATENS, LAMES GEORGE. Surplied at East Kingston 1897; Hinsdale, 1898; Contoocook and Webster, 1899; N. H. Conf., Contoocook and Webster, 1900-1; Law-

toocook and Webster, 1899; N. H. Conf., Contoocook and Webster, 1900-1; Lawrence, Mass. St. Mark's, 1902.

CHANDI Sh. HENRY. Alexandria, Hebron and Groton, 1853; Brookline, 1854; Walpole, 1855; Gilmanton, 1856; Tuftonboro' and Wolfeboro', 1857-8; Moultonboro', 1859-60; E. Sanbornton, 1861; Sandown, 1862; Sandown and Danville. 1863-4; Rindge, 1865-7; Piernont, 1868-70; Swiftwater, 1871; Moultonboro', 1872; Tuftontonboro', 1873-4; Hillsboro' Center, 1875-7; Deering, 1878-80; Enfeld, 1881-2; East Lempster, 1883; S'y, 1885; Sup., 1886-1902. [114 Leland St., Woodfords, Me.]

CHASE, CHARLES HENRY. Amherst, Amoskeag Mission and Bow, 1839; Hudson, 1840; Peterboro', 1841; Decring and Hillsboro', 1842-3; Haverhill, Mass., 1844; Methuen, Mass., 1845; Hampton, 1846; Bible Agent, 1847; Amesbury, Mass., 1848; Epping, 1848-5; Unity and Aeworth, 1851; Aeworth, 1852; No. Churlestown, 1852-4; Hinsdale, 1855-6; Rindige, 1857-8; Plymouth, 1859-90; Haverhill, 1861-3; Suncook, 1841-3; Bookline, 1869-6; E. Canaan, 1869-7; Enfeld, 1871-3; Canfield, 1871-3; Canfield

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BOCKRILL, GHARLES WESLEY. N. B. Havelock Circuit, 1866-7; West Cape Circuit, P. Q., 1867-9; Mosquodoboit Harbor, N. S., 1869-72; Welsford, N. B. 1872-5; N. H. Conf.: E. Haverhill, 1876-8; Warren, 1879-81; Marlboro', 1882-4; Winchester, 1885-7; Amesburry, Mass., 1888; Newport, 1889-93; Lawrence, Mass., St. Mark's, 1894-6; Manchester, First Church, 1897-1900; Merrimaeport, Mass., 1901-2. [Lawrence, Mass.]

DOWN: DAVIS WEBSTED. South Newmarket, 1869; Salem, 1870-1; S'y, 1872, supplying Epping; Epping, 1873; Hillsboro' Bridge, 1874-5; Sandwich Center, 1876-7; Goffstown, 1878-89; East Salisbury, Mass., 1881-3; Newmarket, 1884-6; Greenland, 1887; Lake Village and Gilford, 1888-90; Franklin Falls, 1891-2; Milford and Amherst, 1893; Canaan and Canaan Street, 1894-5; Hampton, 1896-7; Epping and Fremont, 1898-1900; Haverbill, 1901-2.

DOMON, BUSTACE CHARLES EDWARD. Ashland, 1898-1901; Franklin Falls, 1902

DORR, GEORGE NEWELL. Peterboro', 1884-5; Sunapee, 1886-7; Lebanou, 1888-90; Whitcfield, 1891-2; Plymouth, 1893-5; Concord, Baker Memorial, 1896; Lowell, Mass., Centralville, 1897; Woodsville, 1898-9; Somersworth, 1901; Sunapee and So. Newbury, 1902.

DRAPER, ALVAH EVERETT. Rumney and West Plymouth, 1892; Monroe and N. Monroe, 1893-4; Warren, 1895-6; Newfields, 1897-8; Greenland, 1899-1901; Ashland Holderness, 1902.

10 NN 1876. CHARLES HEBANE. Chester and Auburn, 1854-5; Bethlehem and Carroll, 1855; No Haverhill, 1857; Haverhill, 1858-9; Enfield, 1860-1; Canaan and E. Canaan, 1862; E. Canaan, 1863-5; Lawrence, Mass., Garden St., 1863-8; Great Falls, High St., 1869-71; Chaplain Essex Co. House of Correction, 1872-84; P. E. Dover Dist., 1885-90; Claremont and Cornish, 1891-2; Claremont, 1833-5; Manchester, St. James, 1896-7; Franklin Falls, 1898-1901. S'y, 1902. [Winche ter, Mass.] Draktelt, 1835-8 40, R10N. Rumney, 1899; S'y and at B. U Thee School, 1870-2; supplied Allen St., New Bedford, Mass., 1871-2; went to Palestine, 1873; Bristol, 1871-6; Haverhill, Mass, Westey Ch., 1877-8; Rochester, 1879-81; S'y, 1882; Dover, 1883-5; Lawrence, Mass., Garden St., 1886-8; Manchester, St. Paul's, 1889-90; Pres. Conf. Sem., 1891-5; Nashna, 1896-1900; Keene, 1901-2.

EATON, 9HARLES EDWIN. Lyman, 1881; Piermont, 1882-4; Hinsdale, 1885-6; West Rindge and Fitzwilliam, 1837-9; Canaan and Canaan St., 1890-2; Antrim, 1893-6; Laconia, Trinity, 1897-8; North Haverhill, 1899-1902.

EMERSON, JOHN HESSE. N. E. Conf.: East Pepperell, 1874; Princeton, 1875-7; So. Framinghan, 1873; Westboro, 1879-80; Maplewood, 1831-3; Grantieville, 1894; Amherst, 1855-6; Warren, 1887-8; Wolliston, 1839-90; Newton Upper Falls, 1891; Worcester, 1892-4. N. H. Conf.: Exeter, 1893-6; Concord, Baker Memorial, 1891; Plymouth, 1898. S'y, 1899-1901. Sup., 1902. [4 Pleasant St., St. n ham, Mass.]

FARMER, GEORGE WILLARD: Colebrook, 1892-5; Laconia, Trinity, 1896; Pena

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FARMER, GEORGE WILLARD: Colebrook, 1892-5; Laconia, Trinity, 1896; Pena cook, 1897-8; Rochester, 1899-190.

FARNSWORTH, CHARLES HARVEY. New Eng. Southern Conf.: supplied Myricks, 1879; supplied Lovell's Corner, 1880. Vermont Conf.: Marshield, 1881-3; Groton, 1884-6; Plainfield, 1887-9; White River Junction, 1890-1; Bellows Falls, 1892. N. H. Conf.: Hudson, 1893-4; Third Ch., Haverhill, Mass., 1895-7; Lawrence, Mass., St. Paul's, 1898-1900; Manchester, First Church, 1901-2

BOLL, 168EPH LEANDER. Antrim, 1875; Franklin Falls, 1879-81; Hinsdale, 1882-4; Amesbury, Mass., 1885-7; Lisbon, 1883-92; Suncook, 1893-5; Suncook and Hooksett, 1896-7; Bristol, 1898; Lanc ster, 1899-1902.

FIST. 1911 F. Richmond, 1869; So. Acworth, 1870; Chesterfield, 1871-2; Grantham, and Croyden, 1873-5; Marlboro', 1876-8; Milan, 1879; Landaff, 1880-1; Warren, 1882-4; Marlow, 1885-7; Hillsboro' Bridge and Center, 1888-90; Hampton, 1891-2; Londonderry, 1893-6; No. Salem, 1897-9; East Deering, 1900; Chesterfield, 1901-2. S.M., JOHN DANA. Phil. Conf.: Morrisville, Pa., 1870; Statington, 1871-3; Monroe Circuit, 1874; N. H. Conf.: Hudson, 1875-6; Franklin Falls, 1877-8; Hinsdale, 1879-81; Sandwich Center, 1882; Salem, Pleasant St., 1883-5; Epping, 1886-9; Salisbury, Mass., 1890-3; Greenland, 1894-5; Grasmere, 1896-7; Hudson, 1898-9; Warren, 1900; Sy, 1901-2. [Raymond.]

FOWLEE CHARLES LOSETH. Evangelist, 1870-82; N. H. Conf.: Exeter, 1883; Haverhill, Mass., Grace Ch., 1884-6; Great Falls, 1887; Sy, 1888; Woodswille, 1889-90; Grace Ch., Haverhill, Mass., 1891-4; Sy, 1895-1900. Sup., 1891; East Deering, 1902. [Haverhill, Mass., 1891-4; Sy, 1895-1900. Sup., 1891; East Deering, 1902. [Haverhill, Mass., 1891-4; Sy, 1895-1900. Sup., 1891; East Deering, 1902. [Haverhill, Mass., 1897-81; Milton Mills, 1882; South Tamworth, 1883-5; Landaff, 1886-8; No. Haverhill, 1889-91; Warren, 1902. Grander, 1901; Warren, 1902. Grander, 1902. [Hawerhill, 1809-1901; Condonderry, 1901-2. [Raymorth, 1902.]

GARLAND, CHARLES CLAYTON. Assistant, Nashua, Main St., 1

Arlington St., 1898-1901; Carremont, 1902.

GOODRICH, GEORGE BOWEN. Chesterfield, 1892-3; Grantham and W. Springfield, 1894; No. Charlestown and W. Unity, 1895-6; Marlow, 1897-1900; Monroe and

field, 1894; No. Charlestown and W. Unity, 1895-6; Marlow, 1897-1900; Monroe and North Monroe, 1901-2.

HALL, CHARLES ELLIOTT. Epping, 1866; Haverhill, Mass., 1867; Great Falls, Main St., 1868-9; Newport, 1870-2; Lebanon, 1873-5; Nashua, Main St., 1876-8; Concord, Baker Memorial, 1879-80; Dover, 1881-2; Oil City, Penn., Trinity, 1882-4; Titusville, Penn., 1885-6; Mcadville, Penn., First Church, 1887-9; Madison, Wis., 1890-2; Haverhill, Mass., First Church, 1893, three months; Lowell, Mass., Centralville, 1894; East Candia, 1895; Lebanon, 1896-8. S'y, 1900-2.

14 ARDY CEOPLE HENRY. Henniker, 1876-7; Groveton, 1878; Moultonville, 1879-80; Moultonboro', 1881; Gilford Village, 1882; Grantham and No. Grantham, 1883-5; Peterboro', 1886-8; No. Charlestown and West Unity, 1889-93; W. Rindge, 1894-5; Conference Historian, 1896-1902. [Ashburnham, Mass.]

14 Yill, Grantham, Mass.]

15 Yill, Grantham, 1860-1902. [Ashburnham, Mass.]

16 Yill, Grantham, 1860-1902. [Ashburnham, Mass.]

17 Conference Historian, 1896-1902. [Ashburnham, 1899-90; Gilsum, 1851-2; Chesterfield, 1843; Thetford, Vt., 1844; Coventry, Vt., 1845; located, 1846; N. H. Conf.: New Ipswich, 1848; Peterboro', 1819-90; Gilsum, 1851-2; Chesterfield, 1853-4; Croydon, 1855-6; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury, Mass., 1859; Hampton, 1860; Canaan, 1861; Sunapec, 1862-3; Winchester, 1864-5; Londonderry, 1857-8; Amesbury,

donderry, 1866-7; Dracut, Mass., 1868; Sandown, Fremont and Epping, 1869; Sandown and Danville, 1870; Danville and Fremont, 1871-2; Kingston, 1873; Haverhill, 1874; No. Haverhill, 1875-6; Runney, 1877; No. Charlestown, 1878-89; So. Columbia, 1881-3; Stark, 1884-5; S'y, 1886-90; Sup., 1891-1902. [Salisbury, Mass., IEATH, SIMEON PADDLEFORD. Acworth and Unity, 1850; Walpole, 1851; No. Charlestown, 1852; S'y, 1853-4; Raymond, 1855-6; Amesbury, Mass., 1857-8; Salmon Falls, 1859-60; Decriedd, 1861; Monroe, 1862; Lancaster, 1863-5; No. Haverhill, 1866-7; Claremont, 1868-9; Great Falls, Main St., 1870; Fisherville, 1871-3; Bethlehem, 1874; Sup., 1875; Auburn, 1876; Bethlehem, 1877-8; Whitefield, 1879-81; No. Haverhill, 1882; Sup., 1883; Franklin Falls, 1884-5; Runney, 1886; S'y, 1887, and supplied Franklin Falls most of the year; Greenland, 1888; S'y, 1890-1902. [Gilford.]
HILLMAN, JOHN HENRY. E. Lempster, 1891; supplied Gilford, 1894; Gilford, 1895; Sup., 1896-1902. [Gilford.]
HILLMAN, JOHN HENRY. E. Lempster, 1864; So. Acworth, 1865-6; Hinsdale, 1867-8; No. Charlestown, 1869-71; Sunapee, 1872-3; Marlboro', 1874-5; Peterboro', 1876; Canaan, 1877-9; Hillsboro' Bridge, 1881, Riudge, 1881-2; Brookline, 1883-5; No. Haverhill, 1886; Warren, 1887-8; S'y, 1889-1900. Snp., 1901-2. [Greenwich, N. Y.]

No. Haverhill, 1886; Warren, 1887-8; S'y, 1889-1900. Snp., 1901-2. [Greenwich, No. Haverhill, 1886; Warren, 1887-8; S'y, 1889-1900. Snp., 1901-2. [Greenwich, N. Y.]
HILLS, CHARLES DUDLEY. New England Conf.: Northampton, 1865-6; Trinity, Springfield, 1867-9; Florence St., Springfield, 1870-2; Grace, Worcester, 1873-5; Lynn Common, Lynn, 1876-8; St. Paul's, Lowell, 1879-81; Saratoga St., Boston, 1882-4; Troy Conf.: Pittsfield, 1885-7; Schenectady. State St., 1889-90; N. H. Conf.: St. Paul's, Manchester, 1891-5; First Ch., Haverhill, Mass., 1896-8; Concord, First Church, 1890-1900; Laconia, First Church, 1901-2.
HITCHGOCK, BLWIN. N. E. Conference: North Prescott, 1875-6; North Dana, 1877; Southwick, 1878-80; Westfield, West Parish, 1881-3; Shelburne Falls, 1884-5; Weare, 1886-8; Greenfield, 1889-91; Stoncham, 1892-94; Chelsea, Mt. Bellingham, 1895-7. N. H. Conference: Grace Ch., Haverhill, Mass., 1898-1900; Nashna, Main Street, 1901-2.

LMDS, WILLIS East Columbia and East Colebrook, 1891-5; Milan and West Milan, 1896-7; Milan, West Milan and Drummer, 1898, Landaff and Lyman, 1899-

Milan, 1896-7; Milan, West Milan and Drummer, 1898, Landaff and Lyman, 1899-1902.

HOOPER, JOSIAH. Maine Conf.: Wells, 1847-8; Kennebunk, 1849; Buxton, 1850; Kittery, 1851; Berwick, 1852; So. Berwick, 1853; N. H. Conf.: Lancaster, 1854-5; Lisbon, 1856; Bristol, 1857-8; Kingston, 1859-60; Henniker, 1861-2; Warren, 1863-5; Rmmney, 1866-8; Snp., 1869-8; E. Haverhill, 1870-1; Haverhill, 1872-3; Piermont, 1874-6; Lempster, 1877-9; Sy., 1880-5; Sup., 1886-1902. [Mill Village].

HOOPER, JOHN THOMAS. Sanbornville and Brookfield, 1895-6; Raymond and East Candia, 1897-9; Haverhill, Mass., Third Ch.. 1900-2.

HOWARD, CHARLES MONROE. Raymond, 1886-9; Hampton, 1890; Woodsville, 1891-3; Littleton, 1894-7; Lawrence, Mass., First Church, Apr.-3ept., 1878; Beth-lehem, 1899-1900. Sy., 1901-2. [Ontari, Cal.]

WARD, MBLEEN. Prov. Conf.: Supplied East Woodstock, Conn., 1866; Supplied East Hampton. Conn., 1867-8; So. Glastonbury, 1869-70; Wapping, 1871-2; So. Coventry, 1873; Norwich, Central Ch., 1874-6; N. H. Conf.: Gt. Falls, Main St. 1877-8; Exeter, 1879-80; Syand supply at Kingston, 1881; So. Newmarket, 1882, Derry, 1883-4; Salem, 1885-6; Sy and Evangelist, 1887; Lawrence, Mass., Bodwell St., 1888; Greenland, 1889-90; East Haverhill, 1891; Sy, 1892-6; supplied Skowhegan Me., 7 mos. of 1892. Sup., 1896-1902. [East Haverhill.]

HITCHIN, WILLIAM GENEN. Phila. Conf.: Bridgeville Ct., Del., 1868; Wilmington. Conf. Academy, Dover, Del., 1874; Seaford, Del., 1875; Chestertown, Md., 1876-8; Odessa, Del., 1879-81; Newark, Del., 1882; Fairmonnt, Md., 1883-5; Greensborough, Md., 1880-8; N. H. Conf.: Tilton, 1888-92; Lawrence, Mass., First Ch., 1893-7; Concord, Baker Memorial, 1898-1900; Sy, 1901; supplied Manchester, St. James; Ef. Somersworth, 1902. eff., Somersworth, 1902. INESON, WILLIAM FORNEST. South Columbia, 1893; Stratford, 1899; Colebrook

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ARRIPTY, FOWEN FORMAN. North Salem, 1892; Marlow, 1893-6; Colebrook 1897-3; Penacook, 1899-1900; Epping, 1901-2.

JONES, GEORGE WHITEFIELD. Supplied North Wakefield and East Wolfe, boro, 1898; Moultonville and Tuftonboro, 1899-1901; Weirs, 1902.

JOHES, WILLIAM HENRY. Peterboro', 1855-6; Marlow, 1857; Hinsdale, 1858; Ennield, 1859; Newmarket, 1860-1; Salem, 1862; Nashna, 1863-4; Bristol, 1865; Prov. Conf.: New Bedford. 1866; Nantucket, 1867; N. H. Conf.: Henniker, 1888-9; Warren, 1870-1; Tillion, 1872-3; Fisherville, 1874; Epping, 1875-7; Raymond, 1878; Manchester, First Ch., 1879-81; Greenland, 1882-3; Kingston, 1884; S'y, 1885-9; Sup., 1890-1902. [Epping.]

HUDICING, GEORGE JANVARN. Prof. N. H. Conf. Seminary and Female College, 1863-71; Methuen, Mass., 1872-4: Newmarket, 1875-6; P. Elder Claremont Dist., 1877-80; P. Elder Dover Dist., 1881-4; S'y, 1885-1900. Sup., 1901-2. [Bristol.] KNOTH, 10113; HENRY. Stark and Milau, 1865-7; Jefferson, Whitefield and Bethlehen, 1868-9; Bethlehen and Whitefield, 1879; Colebrook and Columbia, 1871-2; Gilmanton, 1873-4; Hampton, 1875-6; North Haverhill, 1877-8; Gilford Village, 1879; Moultonboro', 1880; Tuftonboro' Circuit, 1881-3; Londonderry, 1884-6; Enfield and

> LOWELL.

Enfield Center, 1887-9; Kingston and Danville, 1890-3; Hinsdale, 1894-5; West Hampstead and Sandown, 1896-8. S'y, 1899-1902. [Manchester.]
RNOWLES, DANIEL CLARK. N. J. Conf.: Principal Pennington Seminary, 1864-6; N. H. Conf.: Lawrence, Mass., Haverhill St., 1873-80; Sy, 1881; Plymouth, 1882-3; Agent to raise funds to rebuild Conf. Sem., 1884; Pres. Conf. Sem., 1889-9; N. H. Conf.: Lawrence, Mass., Haverhill St., 1878-80; Sy, 1881; Plymouth, 1882-3; Agent to raise funds to rebuild Conf. Sem., 1884; Pres. Conf. Sem., 1885-90; Tilton.]
LANGFORD. EDWIN CARTER. Monroe and No. Monroe, 1888-90; Haverhill and Piermont, 1891-5; S'v 1896-1900. Sup., 1901-2. [Littleton.]
LOCKE, GEORGE REIJBEN Chichester and Loudon, 1891-2; Moultonboro' and East Sandwich, 1893; East Haverhill, 1894-5; East Colebrook and East Columbia, 1896-7; Henniker, 1898-9; Sanbornville and Brookfield, 1900-1. S'y, 1902, 'liton. 1 OCKE, William DENJ AMIN. Landaff, 1891; Marrimacport, Mass., 1892; Rumney and W. Rumney, 1893-5; Smithtown, 1896-8; Newfichis, 1899-1902. LOWELL. GEORGE LUMAN. Free Baptist church, Amesbury, Mass., 1892; Franklin Falls 1893-8; Sioux Falls, S. D., 1898-9. Supplied Chesterfield 1899. N. H. Conf.; Chesterfi Id, 1890; Wejrs, 1901; Sanbornvi le and Brookfield, 1902. LOYNE, WILLIAM ARTHUR. Supplied Manchester Mission, 1881-3; Manchester, St. Janes', 1884; E. Haverhill, 1885-7; Colebrook and Stew artstown, 1885-90; Jefferson, 1891-5; Colebrook, So. Columbia and Pittsburg, 1896; Antrim, 1897-9; Woodsville, 1890-2.

MARKEY, Alba MARCUS. Supplied Moultonville and Toft nboro, 1898. N. H. Conf.; Millon Mil , 1899-1901; Canaan St. and Canaan. 1902.

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MARKEY, Alba MARCUS. Suppled Moultonville and Toft nboro, 1898. N. H. Conf.; Millon Mil , 1899-1901; Canaan St. and Canaan. 1902.

MARKEY, Alba MARCUS. Suppled Moultonville and Toft nboro, 1898. N. H. Conf.; Millon Mil , 1899-1901; Supple Millon Millon, 1895-7; Exe

District, 1890; P. Elder Dover Dist., 1891-6; P. Elder, Manchester District, 1897-9; S'y, 1900-2.

PENDENTIER, MERRITT CALDWELL. Maine Conf.: Naples, 1877; North Paris, 1878; Richmond, 1879-80; Cape Elizabeth Depot, 1881-3; Saco, 1884-6; Westbrook, 1887-9; North Conway, N. H., 1890; Beacon St., Bath, 1891-5. N. H. Conf.: Keene and W Swanzey, 1896-8; Keene, 1899-1900; Haverhill, Mass., Grace Church, 1901;

and W Swanzey, 1896-8; Keene, 1899-1900; Haverhill, Mass., Grace Church, 1901; Amesbury, Mass., 1902.

Amesbury, Mass., 1902.

EDVING, EDWA LD, RUGSELL. So. Acworth, 1881-3; Goffstown Center, 1884-6; South Newmarket, 1887-9; Epping, 1890-91; No. Haverhill, 1892-6; Groveton and Stratford, 1897-8; Center Sandwich, 1899-1901; Greenland, 1902.

PRESCOTT, LUGIAN WILLIJAMS. Stratford and Northumberland, 1855; So. Tamworth, 1856-7; Stratford, 1858-9; Hudson, 1860-1; Hinsdale, 1862-3; No. Haverhill, 1864-5; No. Charlestown, 1866-7; Sunapee, 1868-70; Hillsboro' Bridge, 1871-3; Rumney, 1874.-5; Warren, 1876-8; E. Haverhill, 1879-81; S'y, 1880-94; Sup., 1895-1902.

[Warren.]

QUIMBY, HERBERT FRANCIS. Brookline, 1891; Peterboro', 1892; Salem, First Ch., 1893-4; Milford and Amherst, Oct., 1895-6; Moultonboro', 1897-8; Groveton, 1899-1902.

1899-1902.

(QUIMBY SILAS EVERARD: Vt. Conf.: Prof. Newbury Sem., 1859-63, and from May 1864-67; Principal Feb., 1866, to July, 1867; N. H. Conf.: Littleton, 1863-4; Lebanon, 1867-8; Plymouth, 1869-70; Exeter, 1871-3; Sunapee, 1874-6; Tilton, 1877-8; Pres. N. H. Conf. Sem., 1878-85; Whitefield, 1886-7; Laconia, 1888-9; Newmarket, 1890; Exeter, 1891-3; Rochester, 1894; Penacook, 1895-6; Salem, Pleasant St., 1897-1900; Conference Evangelist, 1901; Milton Mils, 1902.

RAMEDEN, WILLIAM. Haverhill, 1883-4; Derry and Derry Depot, 1885-7; Derry, St. Luke's, 1888; Lawrence, Mass., Bodwell St. Ch., 1889-91; Lowell, Mass., 1892-3; Woodsville, 1894; Rochester, 1895-8; Newport, 1899-1900; Bethlehem, 1901-2.

REED, CLARENCE ALONZO. Peterboro', 1893-5; Canaan Street and Canaan,

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REYNOLDS, ELMER ELLS-WORTH. Vt. Conf.: Supply Thetford Center and No. Thetford, 1884-7; Ludlow, 1887-92; Williamstown, 1892-3; Swanton, 1894; N. H. Conf.: Haverhill, Mass., Grace Ch., 1895-7; Haverhill, N. H., 1898-9; Whitefield, 1900-2.

ROBERTS, GUY. Fitzwilliam Depot and Richmond, 1898-1900; North Charlestown and West Unity, 1901-2.

ROBERTS, GUY. Fitzwilliam Depot and Richmond, 1898-1900; North Charlestown and West Unity, 1901-2.

ROBINS JOSEPH EMERSON. Prof. N. H. Conf. Sem., 1868-9; Prof. in Drew Female Col., 1870-2; Hooksett, 1873-5; Plymouth, 1876-8; Lebanon, 1879-81; Portsmouth, 1882-4; P. Elder, Dover District, 1897-1902.

ROBERS, FREDERRO GHARBES. Maine Conf.: South Paris, 1877-9; Brunswick; 1880-2; Lewiston, Park St., 1883-5; East Maine Conf.: Bangor, Grace Church, 1886-90; Maine Con.: Auburn, High St., 1891-3; Portland, Pine St., 1894-8; N. H. Conf.: Lawrence, Mass., Haverhill St., 1898-1902.

ROWELL, ALMON BARTLETT. Newfields, 1896; Manchester, Trinity, 1897-8, Salem, 1899-1900; Grasmere and Goffstown, 1901; Kingston, 1902.

SANDERSON, ROSCOP. Maine Conf.: East Wilton, Weld and Temple, 1864-5; Gorham, N. H., 1866; Kennebunkport, 1867-8; Portland, Pine St., 1869-70; Bath. Beacon St., 1871-2; Augusta, 1873-5; Waterville, 1876-7; Farmington, 1878-80; Augusta, 1881-2; Lewiston, Hammond St., 1883-5; Woodfords, 1886-8. N. H. Conf.: Plymouth, 1889-90; Littleton, 1891-3; Penacook, 1894; Tilton, 1895-9; Claremont, 1900-1. Suncook, 1902.

outh, 1899-90; Littleton, 1891-3; Penacook, 1894; Thton, 1895-9; Claremont, 1900-1. Suncook, 1902.

SEARLE, WILLIAM SMALLRIDGE. St. Paul's, Lawrence, Mass., 1892-5; Manchester, Trinity and Massabesic, 1896; St. Mark's, Lawrence, Mass., 1897-8; Merrimacport, Mass., 1899-1900; Lawrence, Mass., St. Paul's, 1901-2.

SIMESON, JOHD H. West and East Hampstead, 1893; Centre Sandwich, 1894-6; Warren, 1897; Hillsboro' Bridge and Center, 1898-1900; Concord, First Church,

1901-2.

1901-2.

5M111, LBBRT, 1946. Rumney, 1887-9; Auburn and Chester, 1890; Newfields, 1891-5; Laconia, 1896-1900; Penacook, 1901-2.

SMITH, CHARLES HENRY. Derry, 1853; Gilmanton, 1854-5; Antrim, 1856-7; Seabrook, 1858; Warren, 1859-60; Hinsdale, 1861; Deering and Antrim, 1862-3; Chichester, 1864-5; Warren, 1856-8; Lancaster, 1869-70; Bethlehem and Whitefield, 1871-3; Epping, 1874; Sy, 1875-6; Sup., 1887-1902. [Haverhill, Mass.]

SMITH, DANIEL AM 15. Columbia, 1856; Fittsfield, 1857; Fisherville, 1858; W. Salisbury and Warner, 1859; W. Boscawen, 1860; E. Alstead, 1861-2; Fisherville, 1863-5; Lancaster, 1866-8; Lancaster, 1879-81; Bethlehem, 1882-4; Lisbon, 1885-7; Franklin Falls, 1888-90; Newmarket, 1891-5; Marlboro', 1896-8; West Rindge, 1899-1902. 1899-1902.

Frankin Fais, 1835-30, Newharket, 1831-3, Mat10010, 1830-6, West Killinge, 1899-1902.

SNOW, ELHHU. Vermont Conf.: Gaysville, 1876-8; Plainfield, 1879-81; Ludlow, 1882-4; Franklin, 1885-7; Swanton, 1888-91; White River Junction, 1892-4. New Hampshire Conf.: Concord, 1st Ch., 1895-8; S'y, 1899-1902. [York Beach, Me.]

STEELE, JOEL AUGUSTUS. E. Me Conf.: Columbia, Me., 1855; Principal High School, Machias, 1856; Milltown, Calais, 1857-8; Belfast, 1859; Winterport, 1860; Oldtown, 1861; Pembroke, Mass., 160cated), 1862; Principal High School, Scituate, Mass., 1863; Orleans, Mass., 1864; teacher Fitchburg, Mass., 1865; re-admitted N. H. Conf.: Union Village, 1866-7; No. Salem, 1869-70; Londonderry, 1871-2; Landaff, 1873-4; Milan, 1875; Contocook, 1876; S'y, 1877; Henniker, 1878-80; Canaan, 1881-2; S'y, 1883-66; supplied at Colchester, Vt., 1883-4; Putney, Vt., 1885-6; Williamsville, Vt., 1887-9; Wardsboro, Vt., 1890-1; Peacham, Vt., 1892; Charlestown, Vt., 1890. Sup., 1897-1902; supplied Chichester and Loudon, 1897-1900. [St. Johnsbury ent r, Vt.]

STROUT, EDWARD SCOULD. North Anson and Madison Bridge, Me., 1881; Utah Mission, 1887-9; Gorlham, Me., 1892-6; Saco, 1897-1900. N. H. Conf.: Baker Memorial, Conco d, 1901-2.

SWEET, JOHN EDGAR. Rumney, 1896; Alexandria, 1897-8; Moultonboro, 1892-1901-2.

1901-2.
TAGGART, IRAD. Deering and Windsor, 1855; Monroe and Lyman, 1856-7; Landaff, 1858-9; Union, 1860-1; Kingston, 1862; Salem, 1863-4; Londonderry, 1865; Marlboro', 1866-7; Hillsboro' Center and Hillsboro', 1868-9; New Ipswich, 1870-1; Marlow, 1872-4; Winchester, 1875-7; Brookline, 1873-80; Goffstown Center, 1881-2; Canaan and E. Canaan, 1883-5; Gilmanton, 1886-7; Londonderry, 1888-92; West Rindge, 1893; No. Charlestown and W. Unity, 1894; Brookline, 1895; East Candia, 1896; Sup., 1897-1902. [Manchester.]
TASKER, EDWIN SLOANE. Lowell, Centralville, 1895-6; Sunapee, 1897; Sunapee and South Newbury, 1898-9; Doyer, 1900-2.
TAYLOR, Charles with Haram. Manchester, 1st Ch., 1873-4; Lawrence, Mass., Trinity Ch., 1875-6; Marlow, 1877-9; Hudson, 1880-2; So. Newmarket, 1883; Penacook, 1884-6; Haverbill, Mass., Wesley Ch., 1887; Manchester, St. James', 1888; Derry Depot, St. Luke's Ch., 1889-91; Sunapee, 1892-6; Salisbury, Mass., 1897-1900 Newmarket, 1891-2

THOMPSON, ROGER EVERETT. Supplied Madison Mission, 1892 N. Y. E. Conf.;

Madison Mission, 1893; Allen St. Memorial. 1894, assistant; Bayside, 1895; discontinued because of ill health, 1896; supplied Lisbon, Oct., 1896-Apr., 1897. N. H. Conf.: Lisbon, 1897; Jefferson, 1898-1900; Gilford, 1901; Center Sandwich. 1902. The Mary Sandown, 1892; Enfield and Enfield Center 1893: Haverhill, Mass., Third Ch., 1894; Milton Mills, 1895-6; Contoocook and Webster, 1897-8; Marlboro and West Swanzey, 1899-1900; Newjort, 1901-2.
THTON, CHARLES NORKIS. Enfield, Enfield Centre and West Canaan, 1894; Enfield and West Canaan, 1895; Newmarket, 1896-8; Manchester, Trinity, 1899-1909

1902.

RIOW, JOSEPH HENRY. Goshen, 1876; Webster, 1877; West Unity, 1878; South Acworth, 1879-80; Rumney and West Plymouth, 1881-3; Lake Village, 1884; Haverhill, 1883-7; Canaan and Canaan St., 1888-9; Groveton and Stratford, 1890-4; Winchester and Westport, 1895-8; West Derry, 1899; Antrim, 1900-1; Grasmere and Goffstown, 1902.

TYLER, FRANCIS ODLIN.** At school, 1889; Contoocook and Webster, 1890; Contoocook, 1861; Hinsdale, 1892-3; Kingston and East Kingston, 1894-5; Greenland, 1896-8; Newmarket, 1899-1900; Enfield and West Canaan, 1901; Marlow, 1902.

1902

1802. THE PROPERTY OF THE NEXT N. E. So. Conf.: Falmouth, Mass., 1878; Cong. Ch., 1879-88; N. H. Conf.: Sandwich, 1889-91; Winchester and Westport, 1892-4; Goffstown and Goffstown Center, 1895; Peterboro', 1896-8; Stratford, 1900-1; Gil-

Goffstown and Goffstown Center, 1895; Peterboro', 1896-8; Stratford, 1900-1; Gilford, 1902.

WADSWORTH, ARTHUR. Milford and Amherst, 1897; Munsonville, 1898-9; Alexandria, 1900; Fitzwilliam Depot and Richmond, 1901. S'y, 1902.

WALTERS, CHARLES H. N. Eng. Conf.: Southwick, 1882-4; Chester, 1885-6; Cochituate, 1887-9; Cliftondale, 1890-2; Gardner, 1893-4; Southbridge, 1895-8. N. Eng. Southern: Warren, R. I., 1899; Eastham and Orleans, Mass., 1900; Allawaugan, Conn., 1901; N. H.: 1902.

WARTEN, WILLIAM. Pittsburg, 1888; Landaff, 1889-90; Monroe and North Monroe, 1891-2; Laconia, 1893-5; Portsmouth, 1896-9; Tilton, 1900-2.

WHITESTOE, THOMAS. Supplied Antrim 1899; Antrim, 1890-91; Lawrence, Mass., St. Mark's, Exeter, 1892-3; 1894; S'y, 1895; Franklin Falls, 1896-7; Littleton, 1898-9; Portsmouth, 1900-2.

WHITESTOE, THOMAS. Supplied Antrim 1899; Antrim, 1890-91; Lawrence, Mass., St. Mark's, Exeter, 1892-3; 1894; S'y, 1895; Franklin Falls, 1896-7; Littleton, 1898-9; Portsmouth, 1900-2.

WHITESTOE, THOMAS. Supplied Antrim, 1895; Henniker, 1856; Plymouth and Campton, 1854; Henniker and Hopkinton, 1855; Henniker, 1856; Plymouth and Campton, 1857-8; Lancaster, 1859-60; Lisbon, 1861; Craplain Fifth Regt, N. H. Volun teers, 1862; Amesbury, Mass., 1363-4; Rochester, 1865-6; Nashua, Chestnut St., Ch., 1867-9; Keene, 1870-1; Newmarket, 1872; Newport, 1873-4; Claremont, 1875-7; Laconia, 1878-80; Penacook, 1881-3; Chaplain N. H. State Prison, 1884-96; S'y, 1897. Supply, Weirs; Sup., 1893; Chaplain N. H. State prison, 1894-1902. [Concord.]

WILKINS, WEISTET JEROME. Moultonboro', 1887-9; Bethlehem, 1890-92; Laconia, Trinity, 1893-5; Haverhill and Piermont, 1896; Methuen, Mass., 1897-99; Ray mond and East Candia, 1900-2.

WOLON, WILLIAM. Milan, 1876-8; Center Sandwich, 1879-81; Antrim, 1882; Hudson, 1883-4; Lake Village, 1885-7; Winchester and Westport, 1888; E. Rochester, 1899-90; Milford and Amherst, 1891-2: Manchester, First Ch., and Massabesic, 1893-5; Manchester, First Church, 1896; Exeter, 1897-1902.

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CORLISS, CYRUS LEROY. Supplied Laconia, Trinity, 1901. N. H. Conf.: Laconia, Trinity, 1902.
FOOTE, HERBERT JOHN. Supplied Brookline, 1901; Brookline, 1901; Enfield

conia, Trinity, 1902.

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HUDSON, WILLIAM ARTHUR. Supplied East Lempster and South Acworth, 1898; North Wakefield and East Wolfeboro', 1899; North Wakefield and East Wolfeboro', 1900; Swiftwater and Benton, 1901-2.

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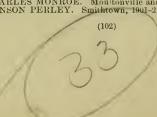
MATHY, CHARLES WHITTAM. Supplied Wilmot and West Andover, 1896; supplied East Kingston, 1898; East Kingston, 1899-1900; Sunapec, 1901; at school, 1902.

MONTGOMERY, JOSEPH EDGAR. Supplied Enfield and West Can an, 1900; Marbow, 1901; Antrim, 1902.

PALLOGE, FMILE IOSEPH. French Cong. Church, Marlboro, Mass., 1898; Haverhill and Newbur port, 1899; supplied Manchester, St. Jean's, 1900. N. H. Conf.: Manc' ester, St. Jean's, 1901-2.

SILATFUCK, ARTHUR MORTIMER. Supplied Piermont, 1898-9: Piermont, 1900; Rumney and Ellsworth, 1901; Rumney, 1902.

Runnev and Ellsworth, 1901; Runney, 1902.
TIBBETTS, CHARLES MONROE. Mouttonville and Tuft (nboro, 1902.
WILKINS, B ENSON PERLEY. Smithtown, 1901-2.



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Ente Min		Names of Preachers	Date of Death	Place of Burial	Age	Years in Min'try
182		Joseph Kellum Stephen II. Cutler	Dec. 30, 1830 May 22, 1834	Tuftonboro'	35 31	10 7
183		George W. Noyes	Aug. 10, 1834	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	25	4
183	31	Joseph Dearborn	March 6, 1835	Rumney, N. H	29	3
183		Ariel Fay	Dec. 29, 1836 June 4, 1837		29 60	6 34
179		John Brodhead	April 7, 1838	Newfields	68	44
182		Roswell Putnam	Dec. 9, 1838		40	16
183		J. McCaine		Hanover	34	5
183 183		A. P. Brigham Michael Quimby	Sept. 29, 1843 July 17, 1843	Danville, Vt Henniker	38	11 11
183		Lyman Wing	July 2, 1843	Rochester, Vt	33	8
183		James Dow	Dec. 21, 1844	East Derry	42	12
183		William Padman	Feb. 22, 1845	Loudon	45 60	10 36
181 182		Leonard Bennett Holman Drew	July -, 1846	Landaff	46	17
184		Samuel S. Mathews.	Sept. 6, 1847	Loudon	32	3
183	34	Samuel Prescott	April 7, 1849	Laconia	45	15
184		James F. Eaton	Aug. 9, 1850	Etna	29 35	6
184 182		Stephen Eastman Abel Heath		Loudon Nashua	35 55	7 25
183		Lorenzo D. Blodgett.	Sept. 21, 1852	W. Stewartstown		18
184		Isaac W. Huntley	Nov. 6, 1852	Manchester	31	9
185		Thomas J. Andrews.	Aug. 24, 1854	Nashua	28 61	2
182 184		Jared Perkins Horatio N. Taplin	Oct. 15, 1854 Jan. 19, 1855	West Unity East Corinth, Vt.	38	30 14
184		John McLaughlin		Charleston, S. C.	34	10
182		Benj. C. Eastman	July 12, 1858	Concord	70	33
185		John M. Blake	July 4, 1858	Cornish	39	7
184 186		Frederic A. Hewes Charles N. Lewis	Sept. 13, 1859 June 3, 1861	Paterson, N. J Claremont	42 26	15 1
183		John W. Johnson	April 12, 1862	Sunapee	51	23
182	29	Elijah Mason	March -, 1863	Cambridge, M	56	37
185	57	R. Edmund Danforth	June 28, 1863	Keene	29	6
182 181		Justin Spaulding Josiah A. Scarritt	July 8, 1865 Nov. 12, 1865	Moretown, Vt Center Sandwich	63 75	42 50
182		William D. Cass,	May 7, 1867	Tilton	70	40
184		Geo. W. T. Rogers	Sept. 15, 1868:	Salem	56	25
181		Orlando Hinds	March 1, 1869	Chichester	87 63	59
183 184		Jacob Stevens Geo. Bowler	March —, 1869 March 26, 1869	West Epping Lynn. Mass	47	34 20
182	28	Charles Cowing	May 23, 1869	Lisbon	73	41
185	52	Charles R. Homan	April 4, 1871	Mcredith	61	19
183 182		Abraham Folsom John Smith		Hampton Newark, N. J	78 64	34
188		Henry Nutter	March 27, 1872 June 15, 1872	Newfields	64	43 38
180	9	Henry Nutter Benj. R. Hoyt	Oct. 3, 1872	Portsmouth	84	63
182		Warren Wilbur	Dec. 9, 1872	Chester	77 72	48
182		Richard Newhall Deming S. Dexter	Dec. 10, 1872 Aug. 20, 1873	Ascutneyville,Vt Marlboro'	58	45
188		Freeman Ryder	May 27, 1874	Middleboro,'Ms.	45	27 15
188	31	Silas Green	Nov. 10, 1874	Epsom	74	43
184 182		Nathaniel L. Chase	May 3, 1875 May 4, 1875	Middlesex, Vt	61 76	33
182		Matthew Newhall Nathaniel Ladd	May 4, 1875 Dec. 7, 1875	Greenland Exeter	80	50 48
186	37	Geo. Beebe	March 10, 1877.	Littleton	50	10
188		Hczek'h A. Matteson	April 21, 1876.	Nashua	63	21
183 185		Lorenzo D. Barrows. David McIndoc	Feb. 18, 1878 Feb. 4, 1879	Plymouth Windsor, Vt	61 55	42
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Entered Min'try	Names of Preachers.	Date of Death.	Place of Burial	Age.	Years in Min'try.
	Bleazer Smith	Feb. 2. 1879 March 30. 1879 June 23, 1880 Aug. 3, 18190 Aug. 11, 1881 June 18, 1881 Sept. 9, 1881 Dec. 10, 1881 Dec. 10, 1881 Sept. 22, 1882 March 26, 1883 April 8, 1883 Sept. 1. 1883 May 3, 1883 Sept. 1. 1883 Nov. 29, 1884 Jan. 25, 1885 April 9, 1885 April 9, 1885 April 9, 1885 April 17, 1885 April 17, 1885 April 1886 Dec. 17, 1886 Dec. 17, 1886 Dec. 17, 1880 Nov. 3, 1890 Dec. 19, 1890 Dec. 21, 1891 July 1, 1893 July 1, 1893 April 20, 1895 April 31, 1896 Sept. 10, 1896 Sept. 10, 1897 Dec. 31, 1897 Dec. 31, 1897 May 19, 1898	Concord. Landaff Brooklyn, N. Y. Concord. Landaff Lyndon, Vt. Greenland. Rochester. Heverhill. Newton, Mass. Candia. Lebanon. Newbury, Vt. No. Woodstock, Woodstock, Vt. No. Charlestown Manchester. Newport. West Unity. No. Haverhill. Newtooville, Ms Fitchburg, Mass Middletown, Ct. Quincy, Ill. Sutton, Vt. Claremont. Plymouth.	Age. 77 32 79 65 45 39 91 31 73 59 74 71 75 80 70 71 75 80 71 75 80 70 91 82 82 83 78 82 82 83 87 86 67 79 86 67 79 86 67 70 91 87 87 88 67 70 91 68 67 70 68 67 70 68 68 66 67 70 68 67 70 68 68 66 67 70 68 68 68 68 68 68 68 68 68 68 68 68 68	
1861 1886 1838 1871 1862 1882 1852 1863 1849	Truman Carter. James D. LeGro. James D. LeGro. James Thurston. Perez M. Frost. Josepa H. Brown Thomhs A. Dorion. Samuel C. Keeler. Anson C. Coult. George N. Bryant	March 18, 1899 Sept. 15, 1899 Nov. 6, 1899 March 16, 1900	Chelsea, Mass Milan Dover Haverhili, Mass. Riverton Manchester B thel, Coun Goffstown	66 41 83 59 66 51 72 64 77	37 13 61 28 38 31 48 37 52

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Sandwich, N. H	June 22, 1831 Aug. 8, 1832	Soule Roberts	Jared Perkins. Elihu Seott.
Northfield, N. H.	July 18, 1833	Hedding	Elihu Scott.
West Windsor, Vt	Aug. 26, 1834	Hedding	Elihu Seott.
Portsmouth, N. H	July 9, 1835	Emory Hedding	Elisha J. Scott.
Great Fulls N H	Aug. 31, 1836 July 5, 1837	Heading	Elisha J. Scott.
Danville, Vt	Aug. 26, 1834 July 9, 1835 Aug. 31, 1836 July 5, 1837 July 4, 1838 July 3, 1839 July 1, 1840 June 23, 1841 June 22, 1842 June 21, 1843 July 1, 1843	Morris	Elisha J. Scott.
Sandwich, N. H	July 3, 1839	Hedding	Jared Perkins.
Chelsea, Vt	July 1, 1840 June 23, 1841	Roberts	Jared Perkins.
Newbury, Vt	June 22, 1842	Hedding	James M. Fuller. James M. Fuller.
Claremont, N. H	June 21, 1843	Waugh Hamline	Jas. H. Patterson. Osmon C. Baker. Osmon C. Baker.
Portsmouth, "	July 10, 1844 May 28, 1845	Hamline	Osmon C. Baker.
Lebanon. "	May 20, 1846	Janes Waugh	Osmon C. Baker.
Northfield, "	May 17, 1847	Hedding	Elisha Adams.
Manchester, "	June 21, 1848	Hamline	Elisha Adams.
Laneaster, "	May 9, 1849 May 8, 1850	Morris	Osmon C. Baker. Osmon C. Baker.
Bristol. "	May 7, 1851	Waugh	Osmon C. Baker.
Nashua, "	June 10, 1852	Baker	Richard S. Rust.
		Janes Baker	Richard S. Rust.
Clarement "	May 2, 1855	Janes	Richard S. Rust, Richard S. Rust
Litttleton, "	June 18, 1856	Baker	Richard S. Rust. Richard S. Rust.
Littleton. "Lawrence, Mass	May 11 1555 May 3, 1854 May 2, 1855 June 18, 1856 April 30, 1857 April 29, 1858 May 4, 1859 April 4, 1860 Apri. 10, 1961 April 9, 1862	Morris	Richard S. Rust.
Portemouth "	May 4, 1859	Scott	Richard S. Rust.
Manchester. "	April 4, 1860	Simpson	Jos. W. Guernsey. Jos. W. Guernsey. Lewis Howard.
Concord, "	Apri. 10, 1861	Janes	Lewis Howard.
Sanbornton Bridge, N. H	Tipin o, 1004	Baker	Lewis Howard. Lewis Howard.
Lebanon, N. H.	April 8, 1863 April 6, 1864	Janes	T - marks TT - marks 1
Haverhill, Mass Lebanon, N. H Dover, "	April 12, 1865	Ames	Jos. W. Guernsey. Robert S. Stubbs. Robert S. Stubbs.
	April 11, 1866	Simpson	Jos. W. Guernsey.
Manchester, "	April 10, 1867 April 1, 1868 April 7, 1869 April 6, 1870 April 13, 1871 April 13, 1872 April 16, 1873 April 22, 1874 April 21, 1875 April 13, 1876	Kingsley Baker	Jos. W. Guernsey.
Lawrence, MassLisbon, N. H	April 7, 1869	Clark	Jos. W. Guernsey.
	April 6, 1870	Simpson	Robert S. Stubbs.
Truchester,	April 13, 1871	Janes	Robert S. Stubbs.
3T 4 66	April 16, 1873	Simpson	Robert S. Stubbs. John W. Adams. John W. Adams. John W. Adams. John W. Adams. Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby.
Newport, Manchester, Haverhill, Mass. Lebanon, N. H. Dover, Lancaster,	April 22, 1874	Janes	John W. Adams.
Haverhill, Mass	April 21, 1875	Haven Simpson	John W. Adams.
Dover. "	April 18, 1877	Peek Merrill	Silas E. Quimby.
Lancaster, "	April 10, 1878	Merrill	Silas E. Quimby.
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Great Falls, "Clarcmont, "	April 8, 1880 April 20, 1881	Andrews Bowman	Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby.
Claremont, "Lawrence, Mass	April 19, 1882	Warren	Silas E. Quimby.
Concord, N. H		Simpson	Silas E. Quimby.
Littleton "	April 9, 1884 April 16, 1885 April 22, 1886 April 28, 1887 April 18, 1888 April 24, 1889 April 23, 1890	Hurst Foss	Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby.
Littleton, " Keene, "	April 22, 1886	Warren	Silos F Ouimber
Keene, "	April 28, 1887	Harris	Silas E. Quimby.
Tilton, "	April 18, 1888	Foster Mallalieu	Silas E. Quimby.
Tilton, Amesbury, Mass. Lisbon, N. H. Newport, N. H. Haverhill, Mass. Rochester, N. H. Claremont, N. H. Concord, N. H. Lawrence, Mass. Manchester	April 24, 1890	Walden	Silas E. Quimby.
Newport, N. H	April 15, 1891	Foster	Silas E. Quimby.
Haverhill, Mass	April 13, 1892	Hurst	Silas E. Quimby.
Claremont, N. H	April 19, 1893 April 11, 1894	Goodsell	rinas E. Quilliov.
Concord, N. H	April 10, 1895	Merrill	Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby.
Lawrence, Mass	April 1, 1896	Fowler Ninde	Silas E. Quimby.
Manchester Dover	April 7, 1897	Mallalion	Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby.
Lancaster	April 13, 1898 April 12, 1899	Vincent	Silas E. Quimby
Lancaster	April 11, 1900	Andrews	Silas E. Quimby.
Littleton	April 12, 1899 April 11, 1900 April 18, 1901 April 17, 1902	Fitzgerald	Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby. Silas E. Quimby.
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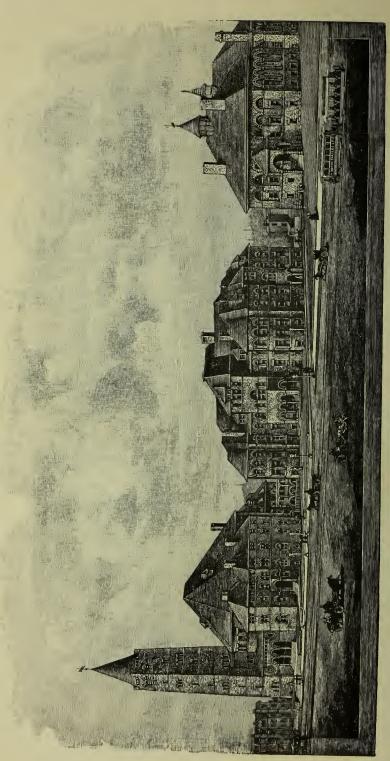
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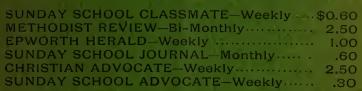
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